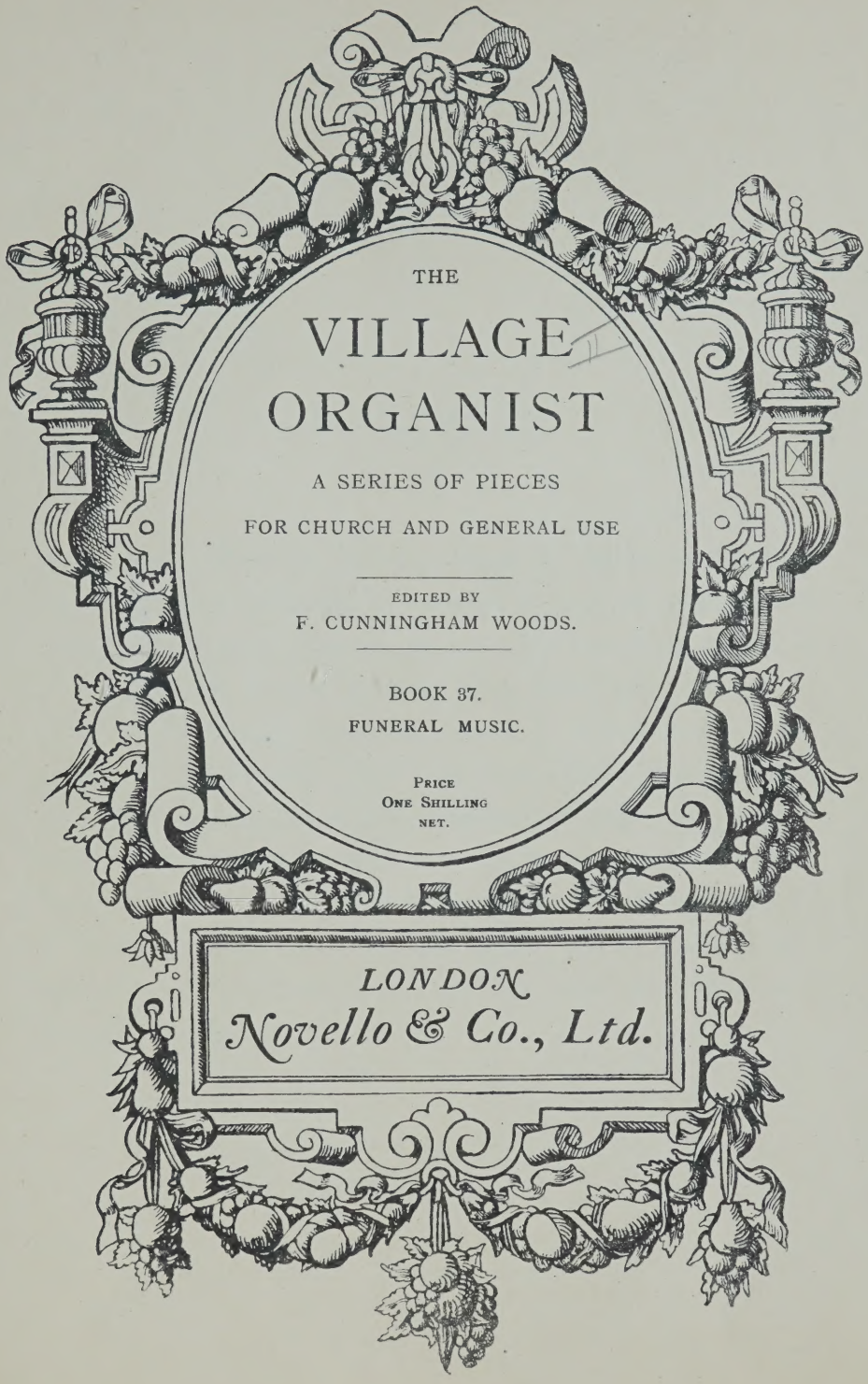
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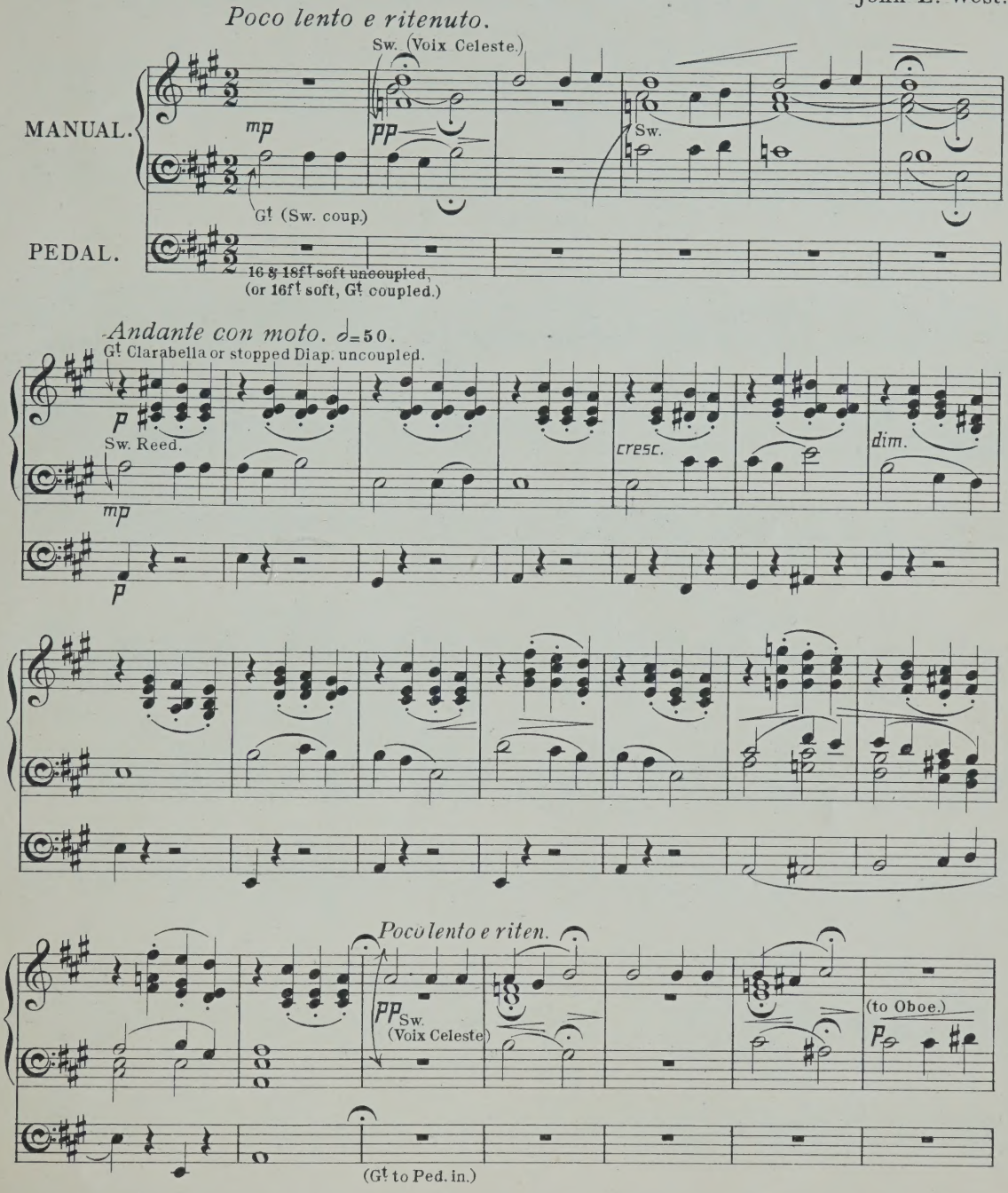
Prelude

ON SULLIVAN'S TUNE "FATHERLAND."

("We are but strangers here.")

John E. West.



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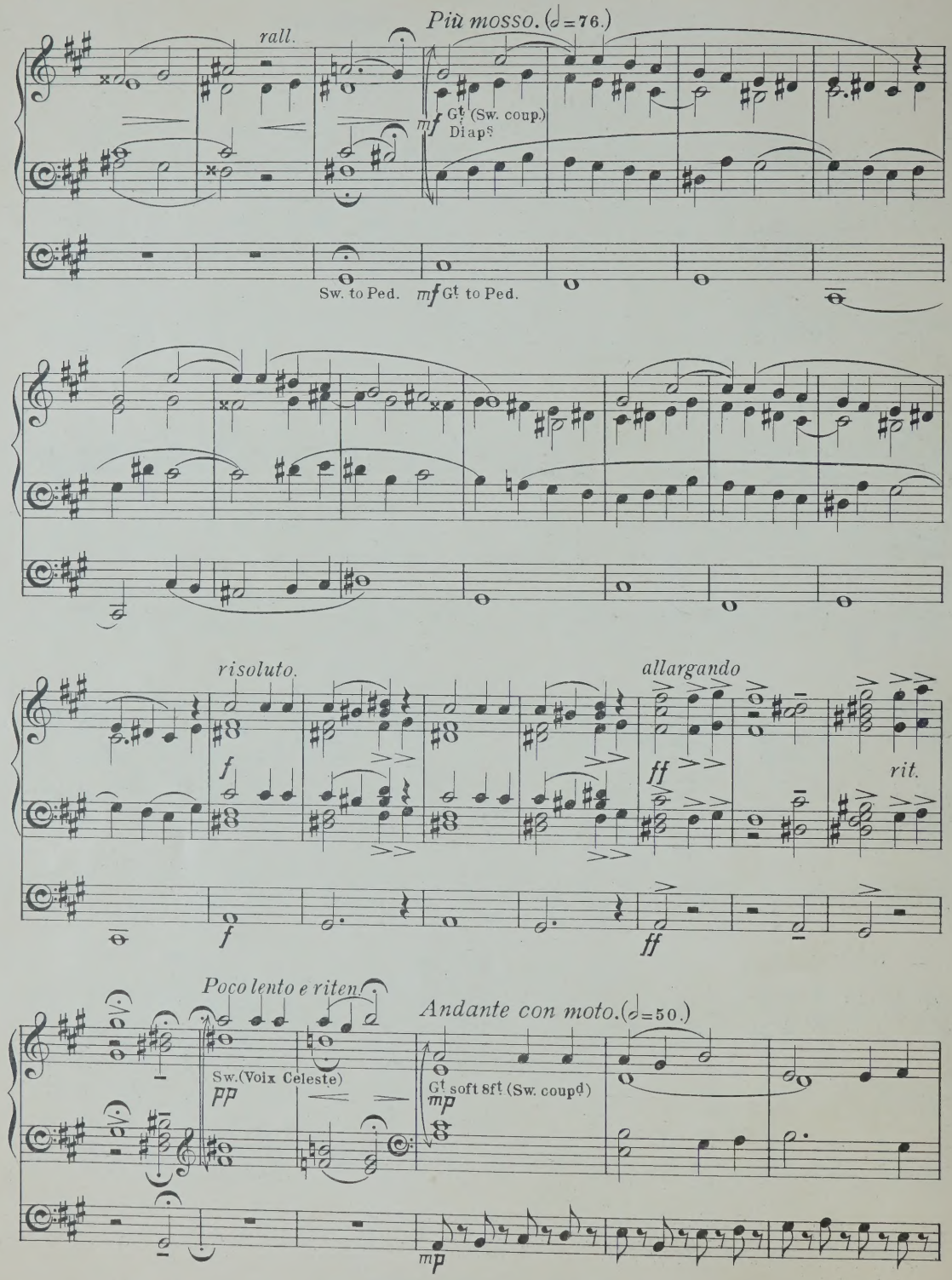
rall.
Più mosso. (𝅗𝅥=76.)
mf Gt (Sw. coup.)
Diapsn
Sw. to Ped.
mf Gt to Ped.
risoluto.
allargando
rit.
Poco lento e riten.
Andante con moto. (𝅗𝅥=50.)
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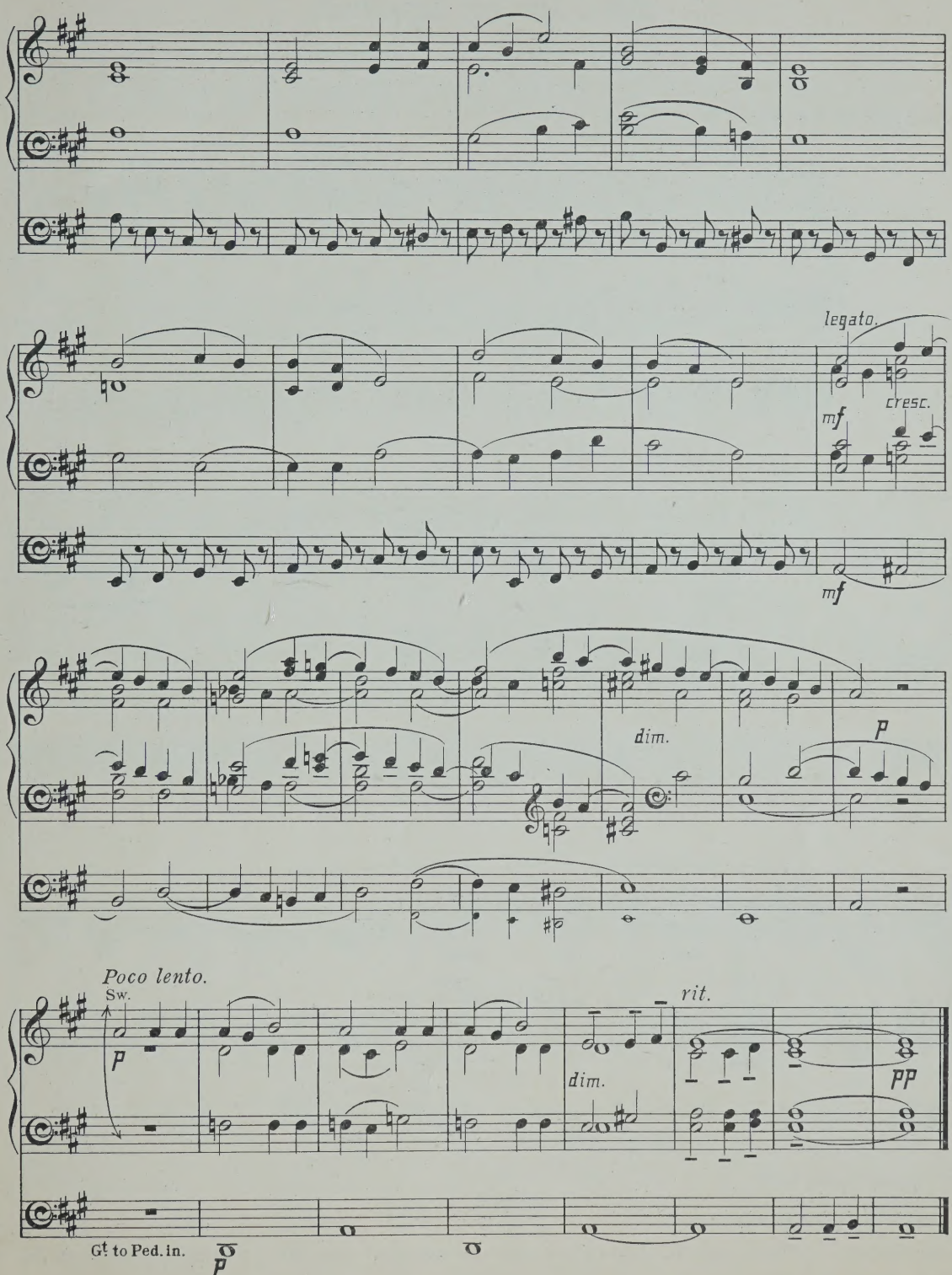
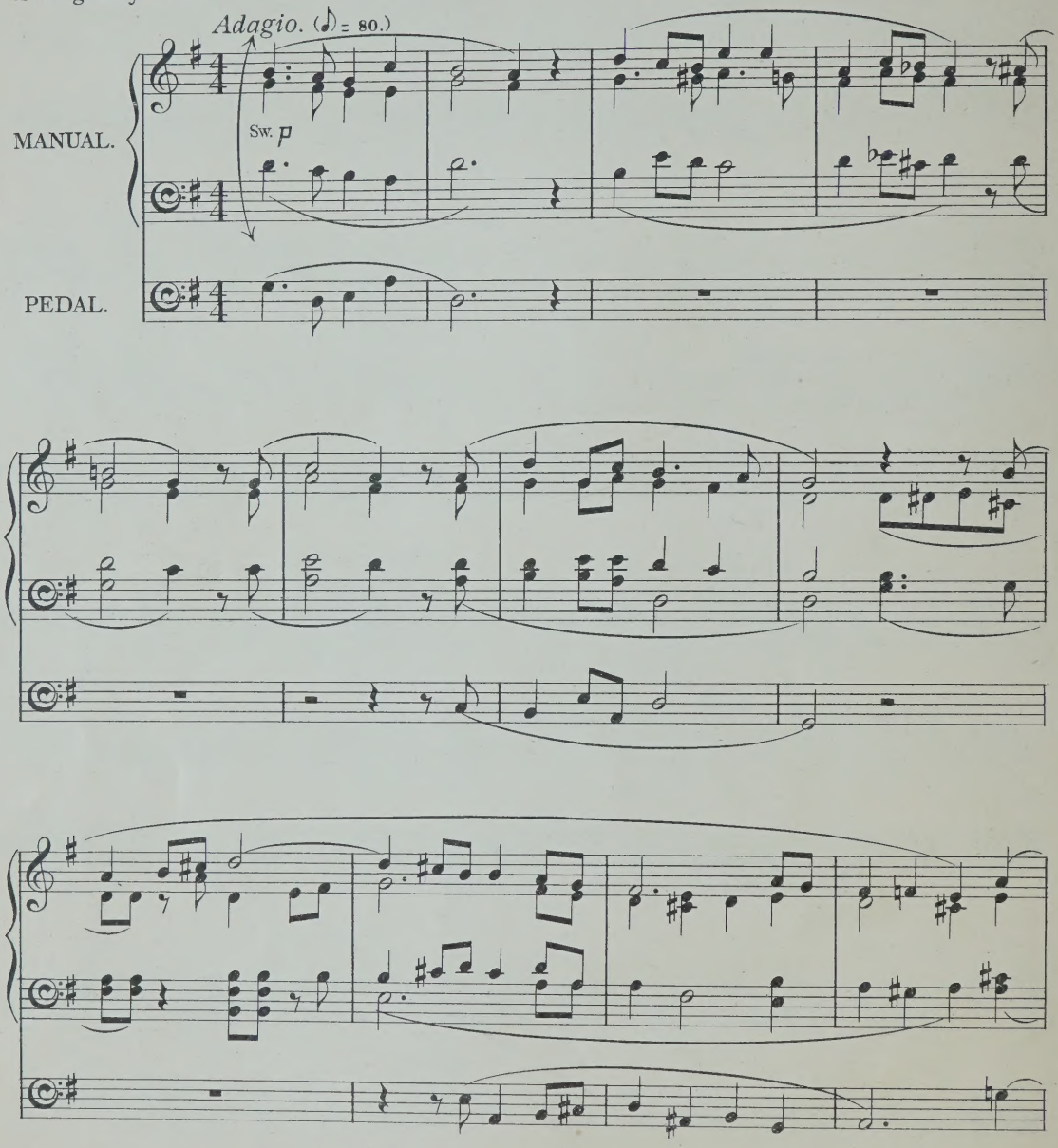
Gt soft 8ft (Sw. coupd)


legato.
cresc.
mf
mf
dim.
p
Poco lento.
Sw.
p
dim.
rit.
pp
Gt to Ped. in.
p

Blest are the departed.

FROM "THE LAST JUDGMENT."

Arranged by F. C. W. Spohr.



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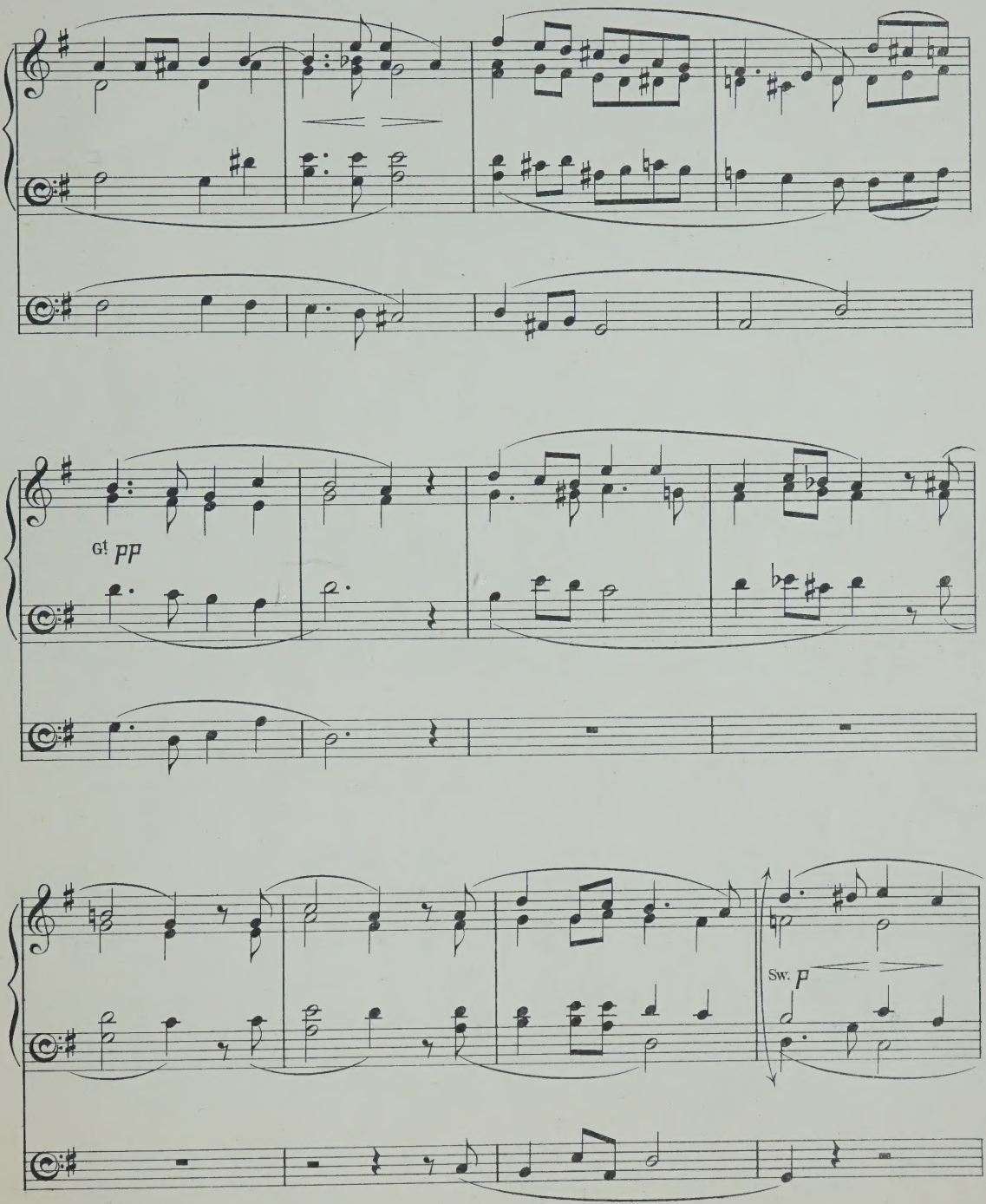
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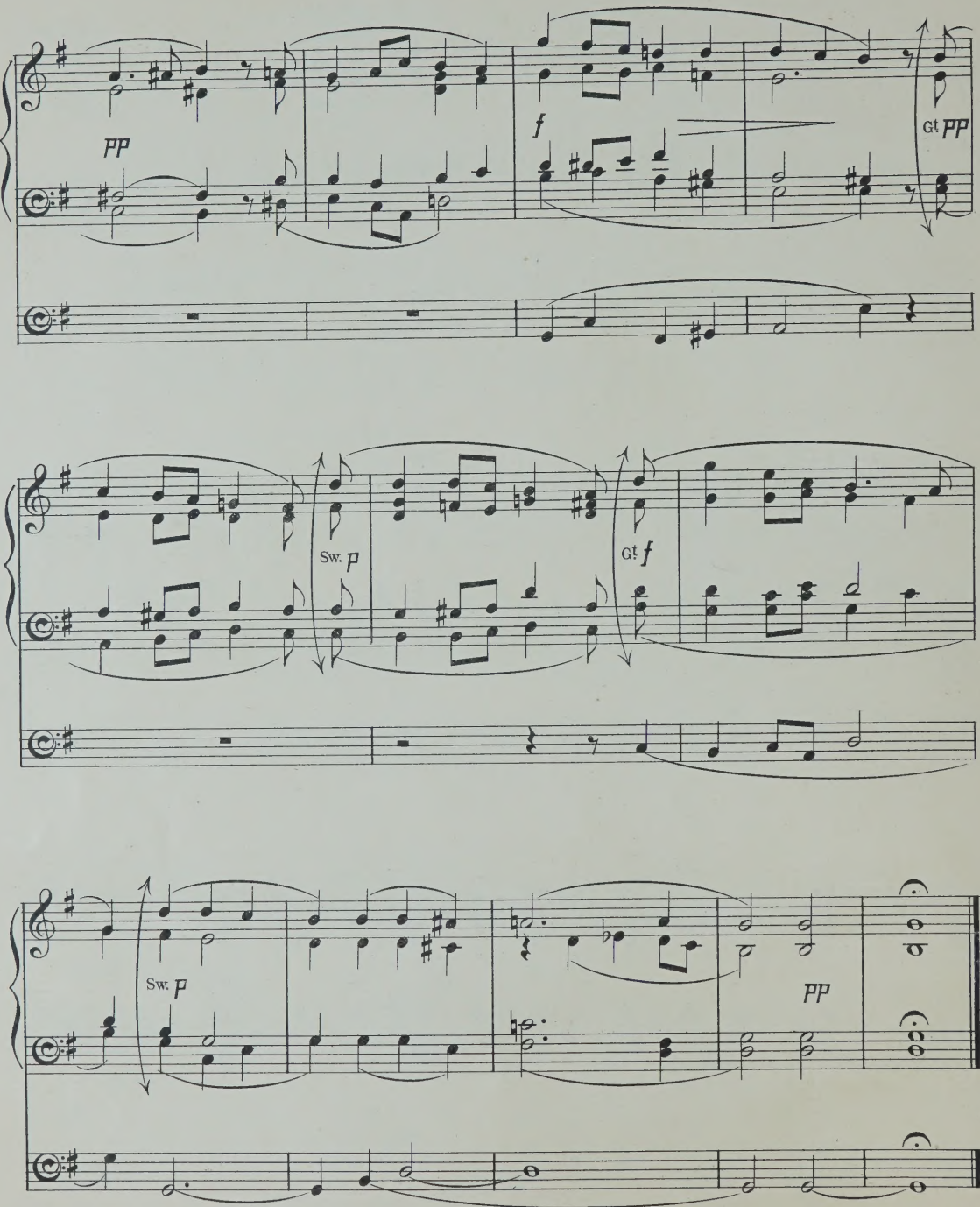
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f
Gt pp
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Gt f
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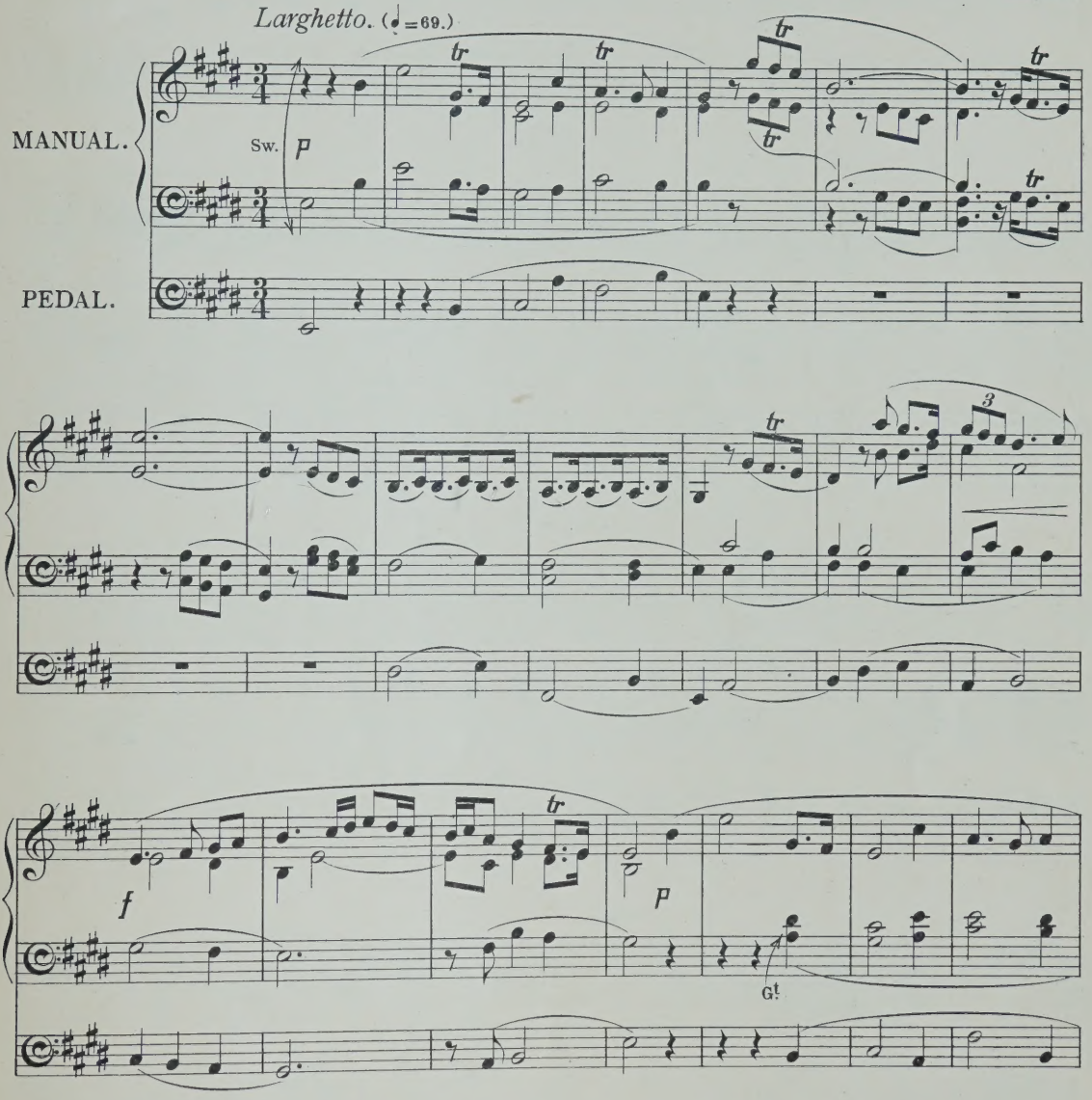
I know that my Redeemer liveth

FROM "THE MESSIAH."

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Arranged by F.C.W. Handel.



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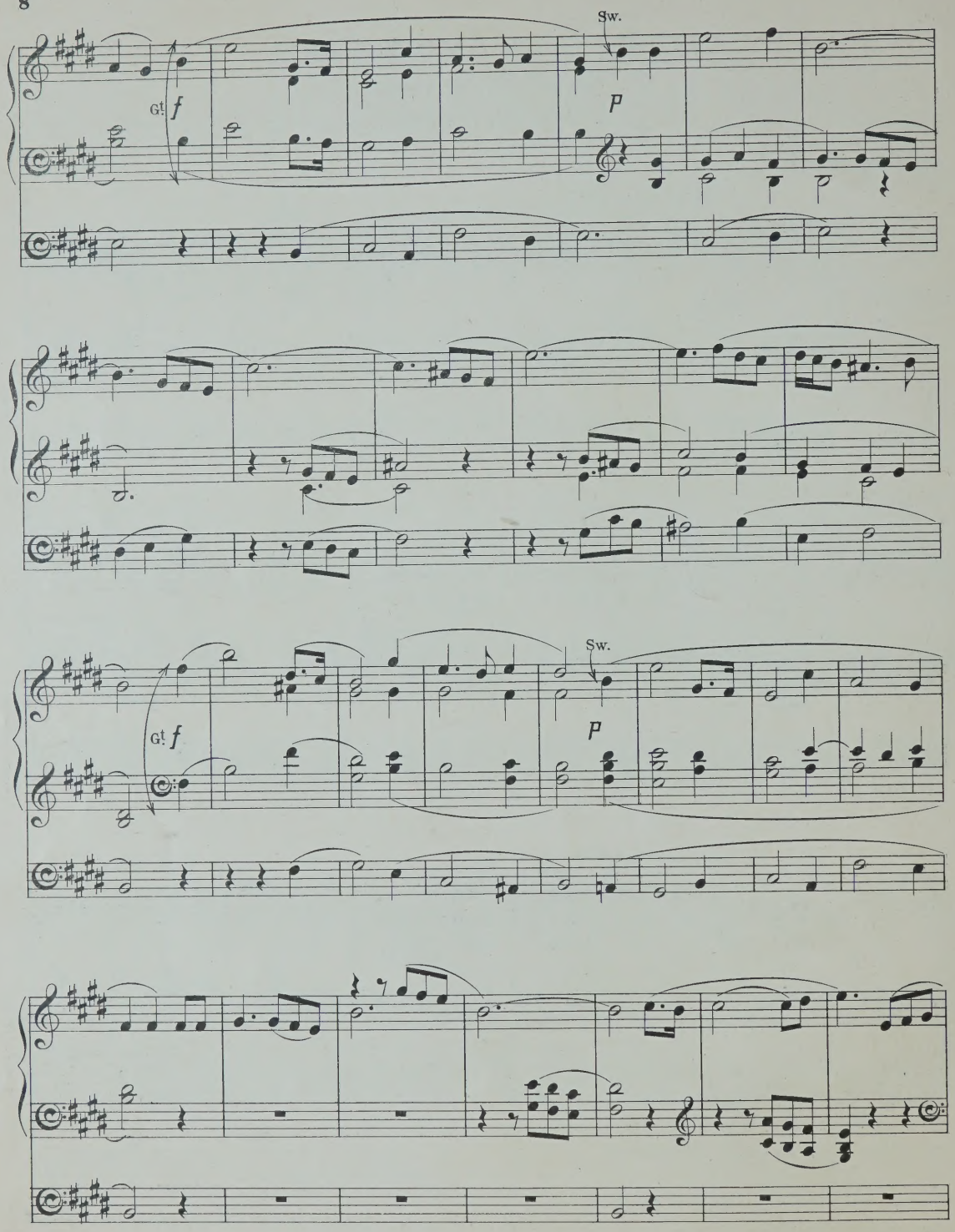
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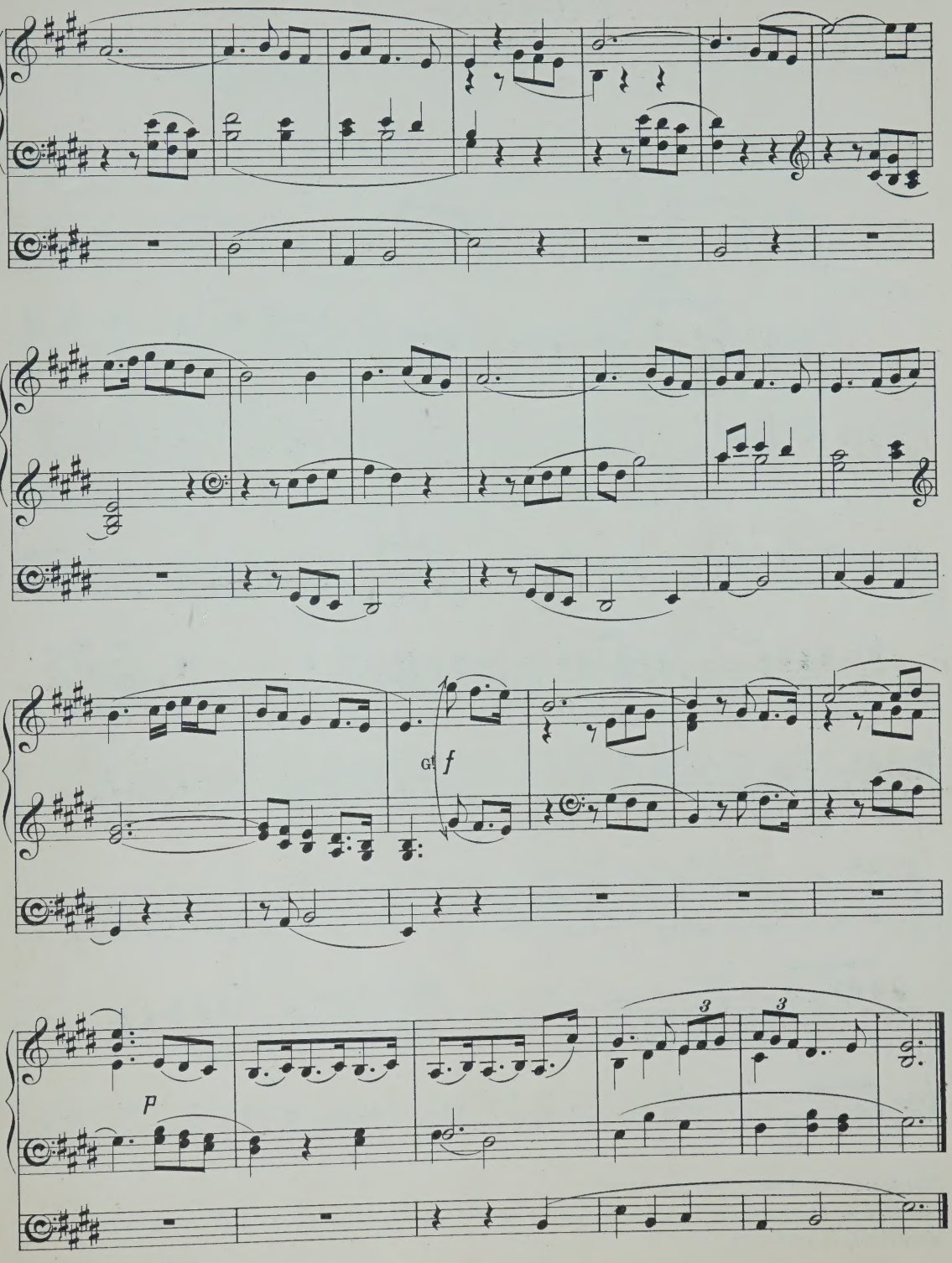
Sw.
G! f
p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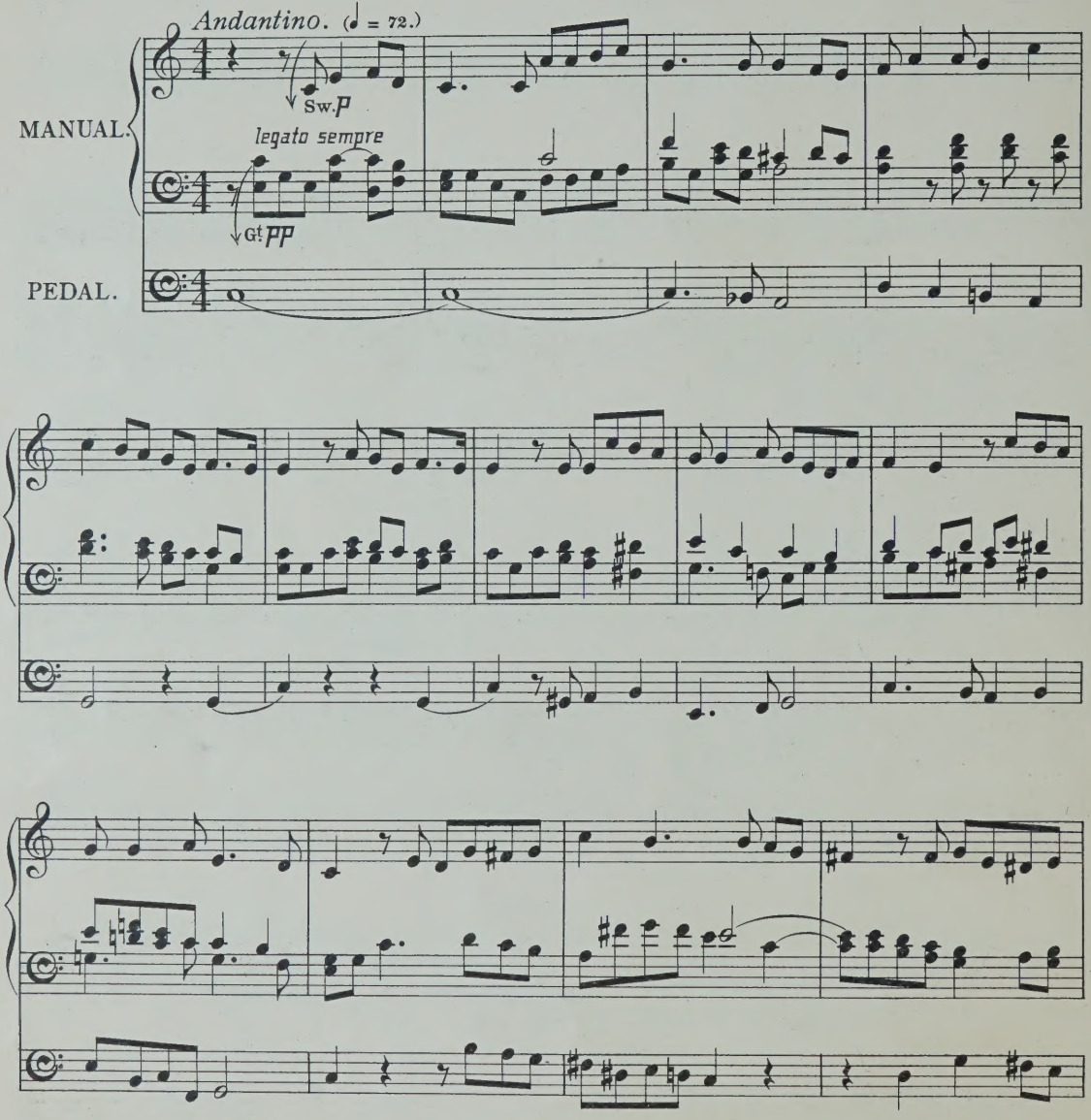
O Rest in the Lord.

FROM "ELIJAH."

Arranged by F. C. W. Mendelssohn.



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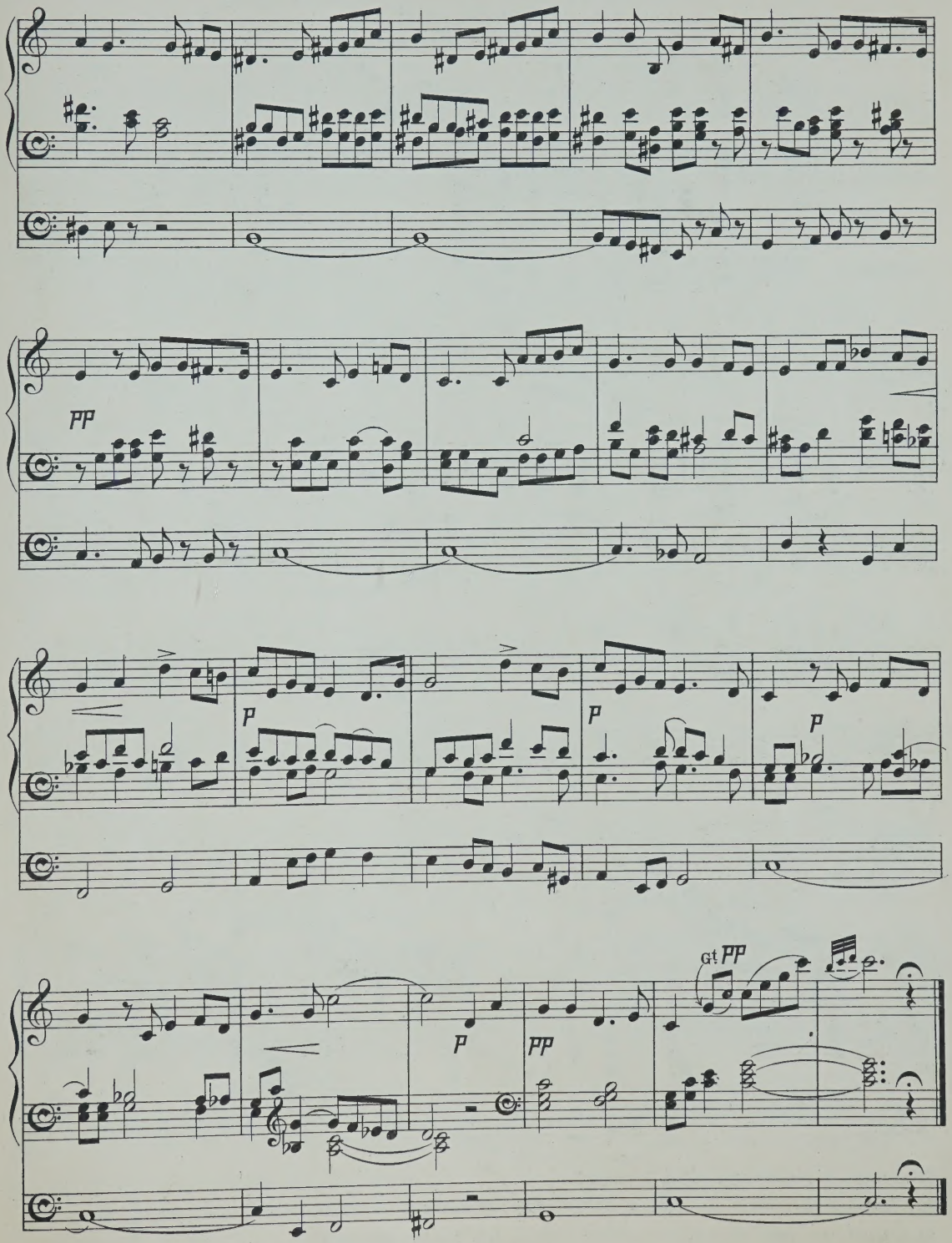
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Gt PP
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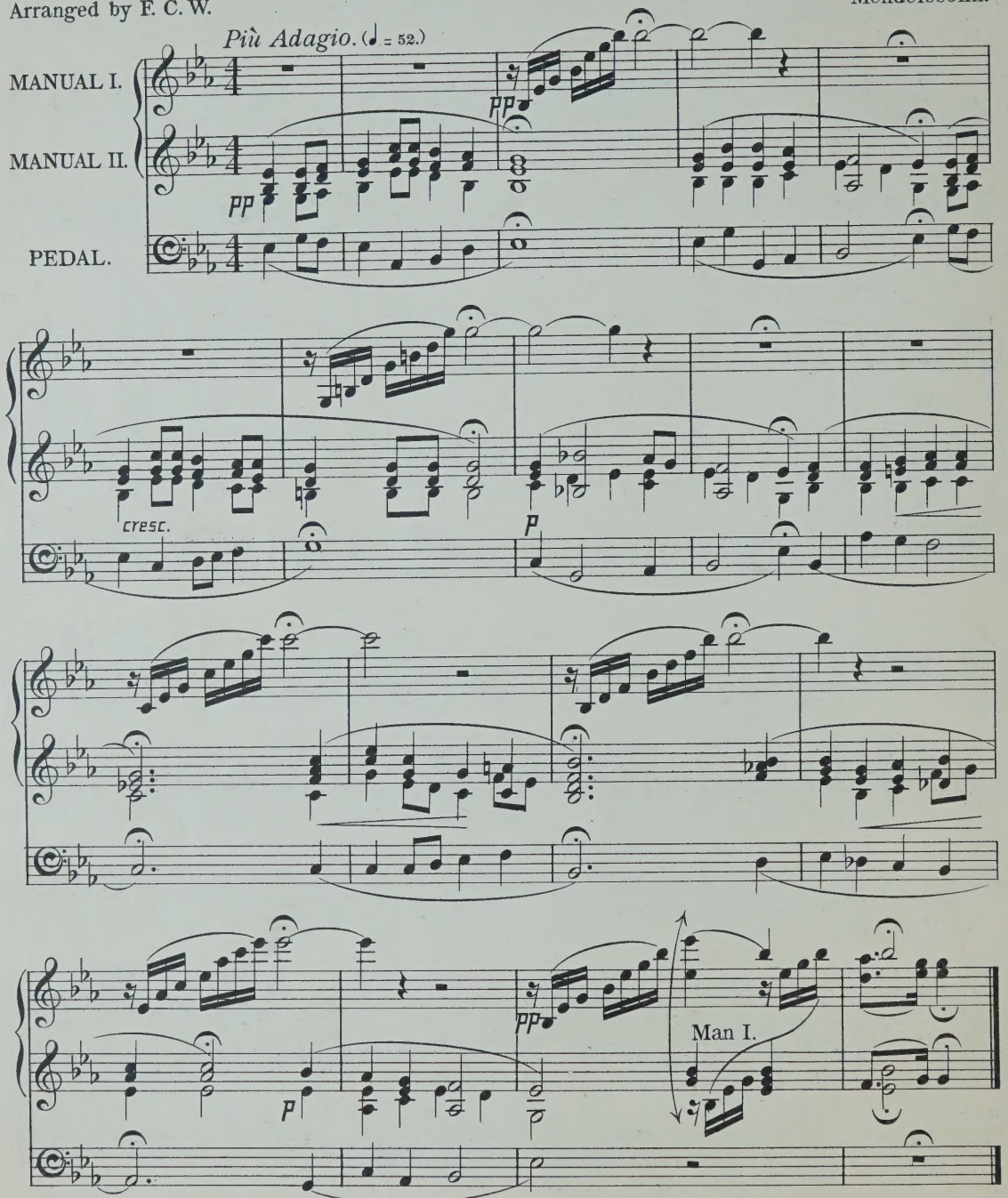
PP

Cast thy burden upon the Lord.

FROM "ELIJAH."

Arranged by F. C. W.

Mendelssohn.



Time taken in performance about 2 minutes.

Two Manuals and Pedals are required for this piece. If, however, one Manual only is available, the semiquaver passages in the upper stave must be omitted until the last two bars are reached.

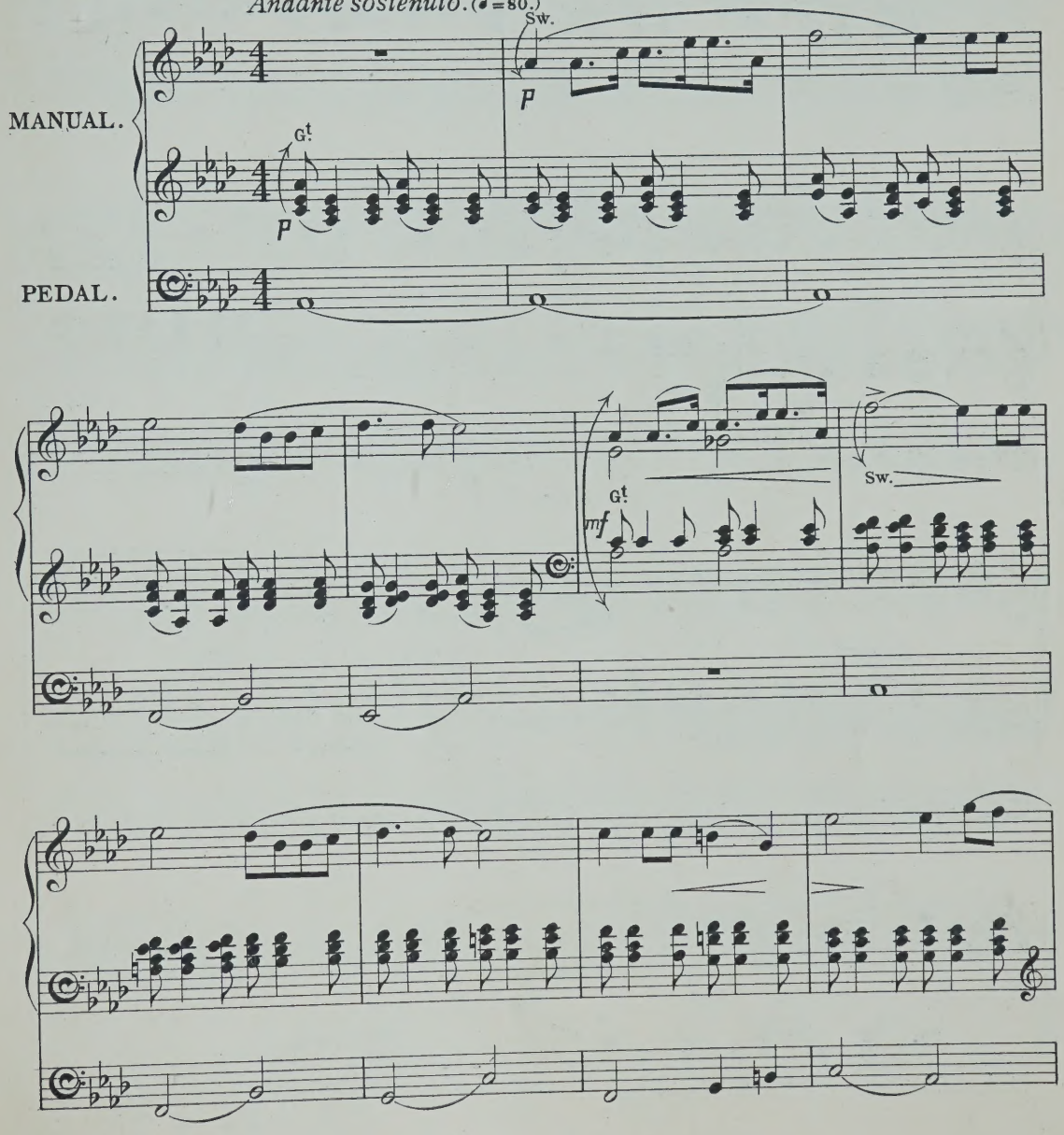
Then shall the righteous shine forth.

FROM "ELIJAH."

Arranged by F. C. W.

Mendelssohn.

Andante sostenuto. (♩=80.)



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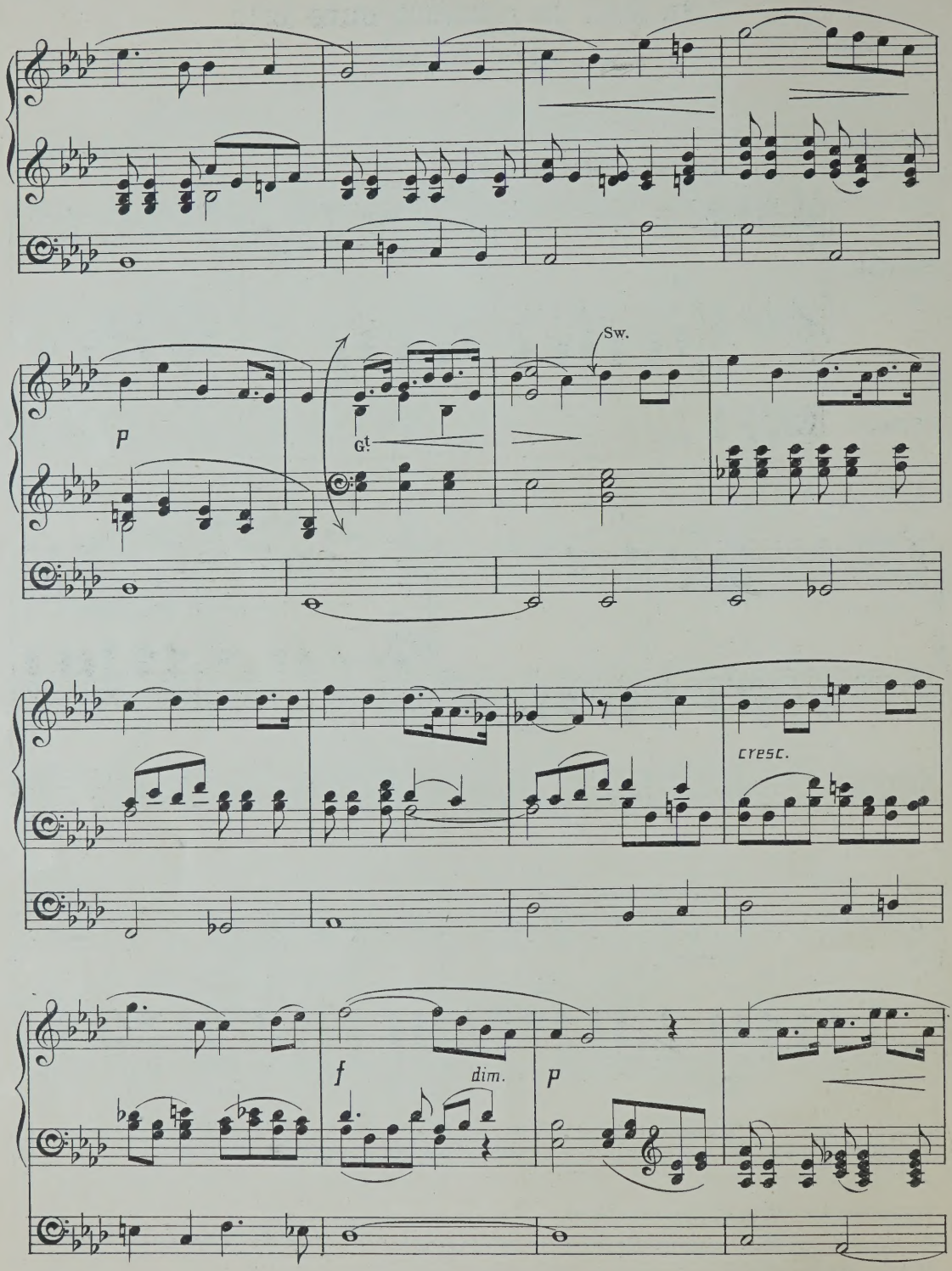
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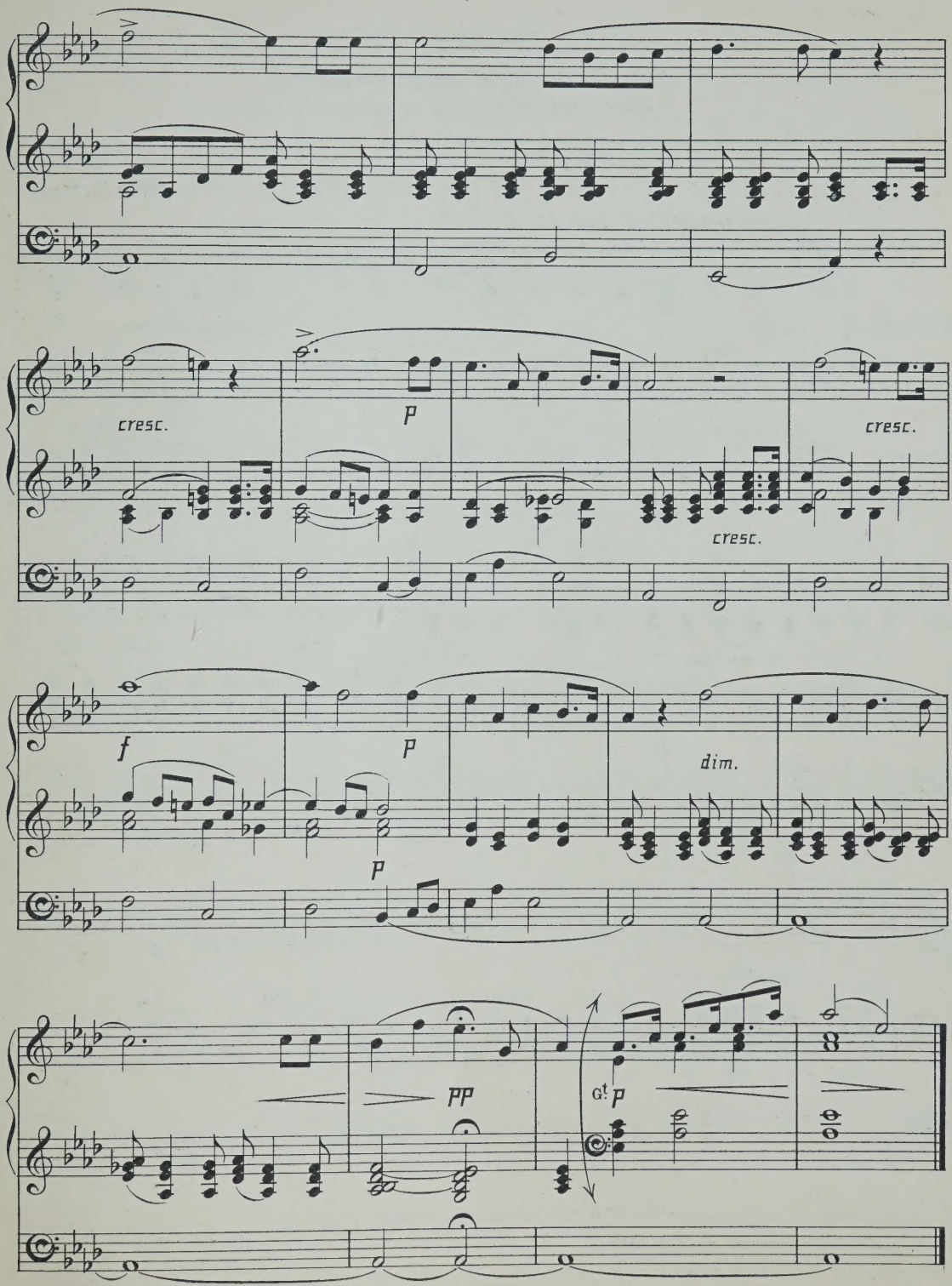
Gt.
cresc.
f
dim.
p

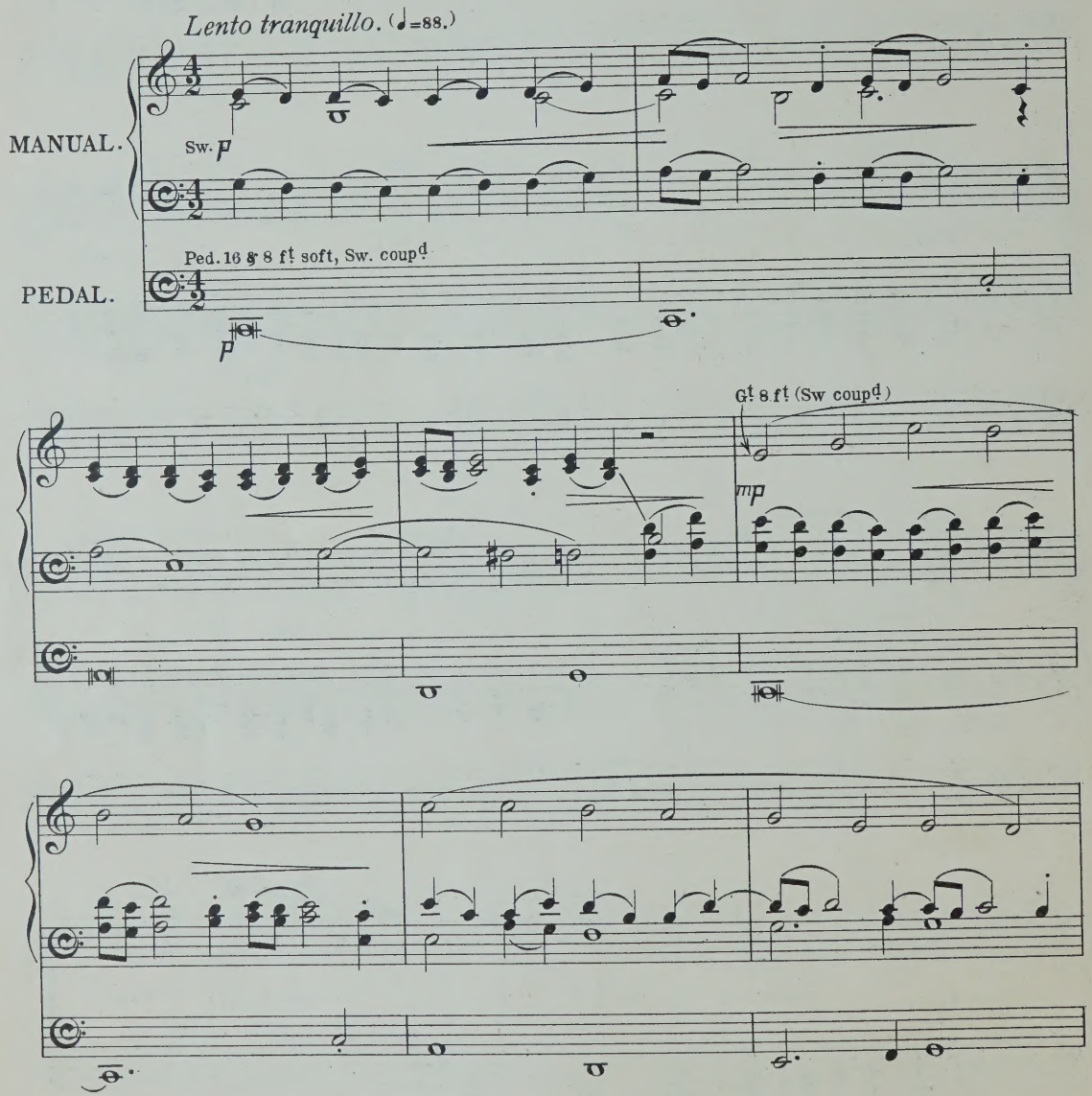

cresc.
p
cresc.
cresc.
f
p
p
dim.
pp
a tempo
p

Prelude

ON DYKES' TUNE "REQUIESCAT."*

("Now the labourer's task is o'er.")

John E. West.



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Time taken in performance about 3 minutes.
Two Manuals and Pedals required for this piece.

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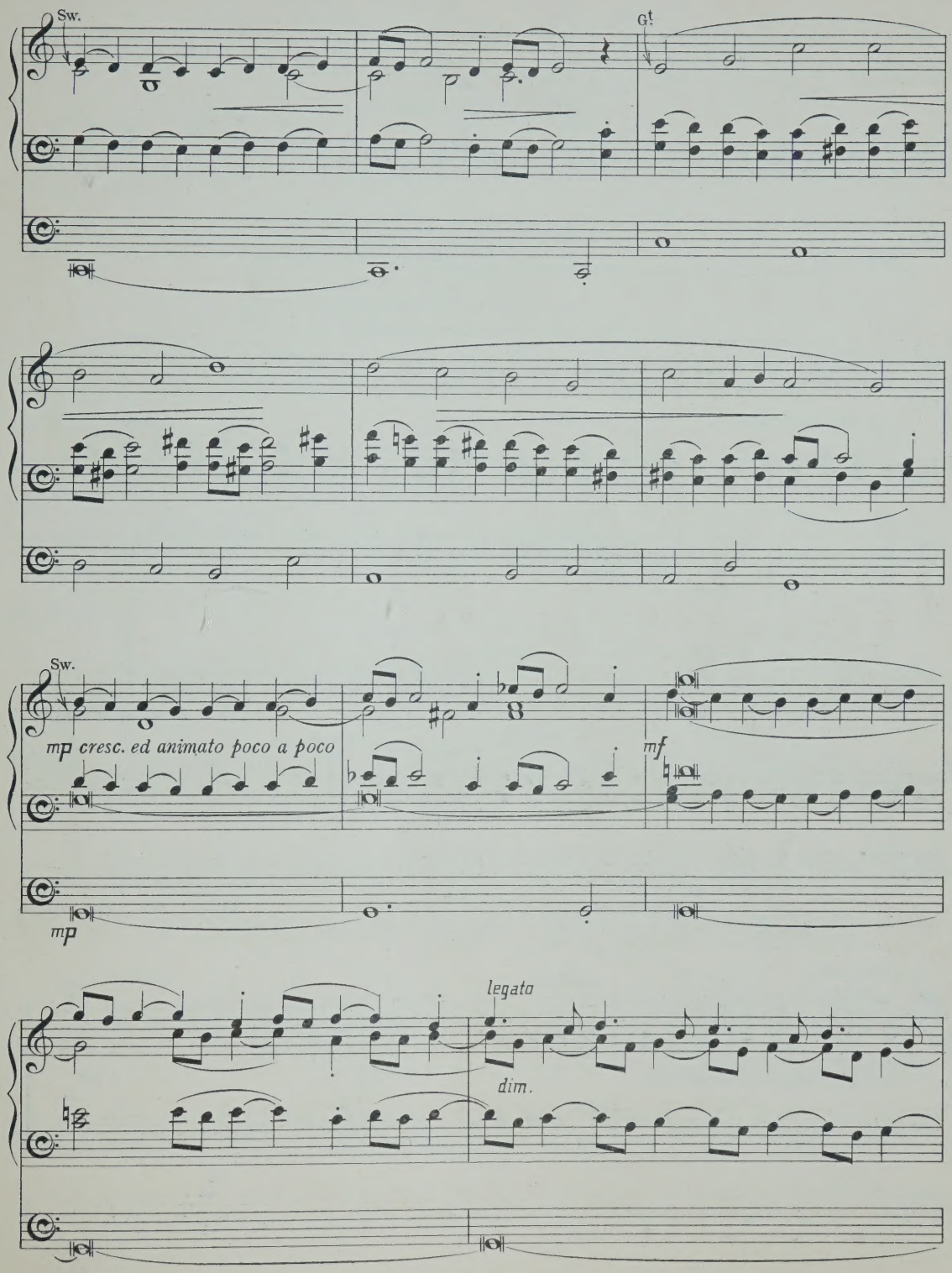
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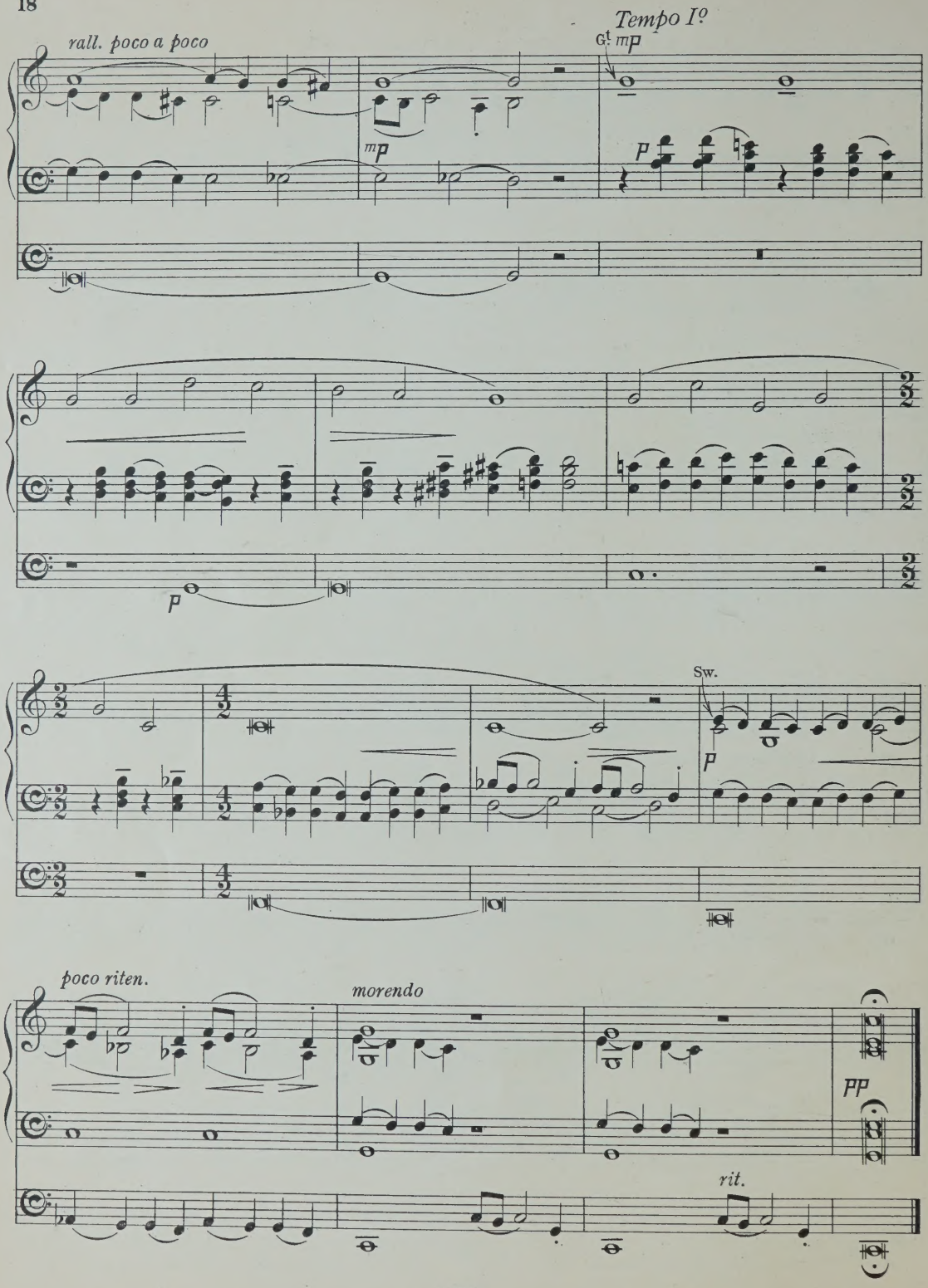
mp
legato
dim.


rall. poco a poco
Tempo Iº
Gt. mp
mp
p
p
Sw.
p
poco riten.
morendo
pp
rit.

When called by Thee I gain Thy portal

From the Motet

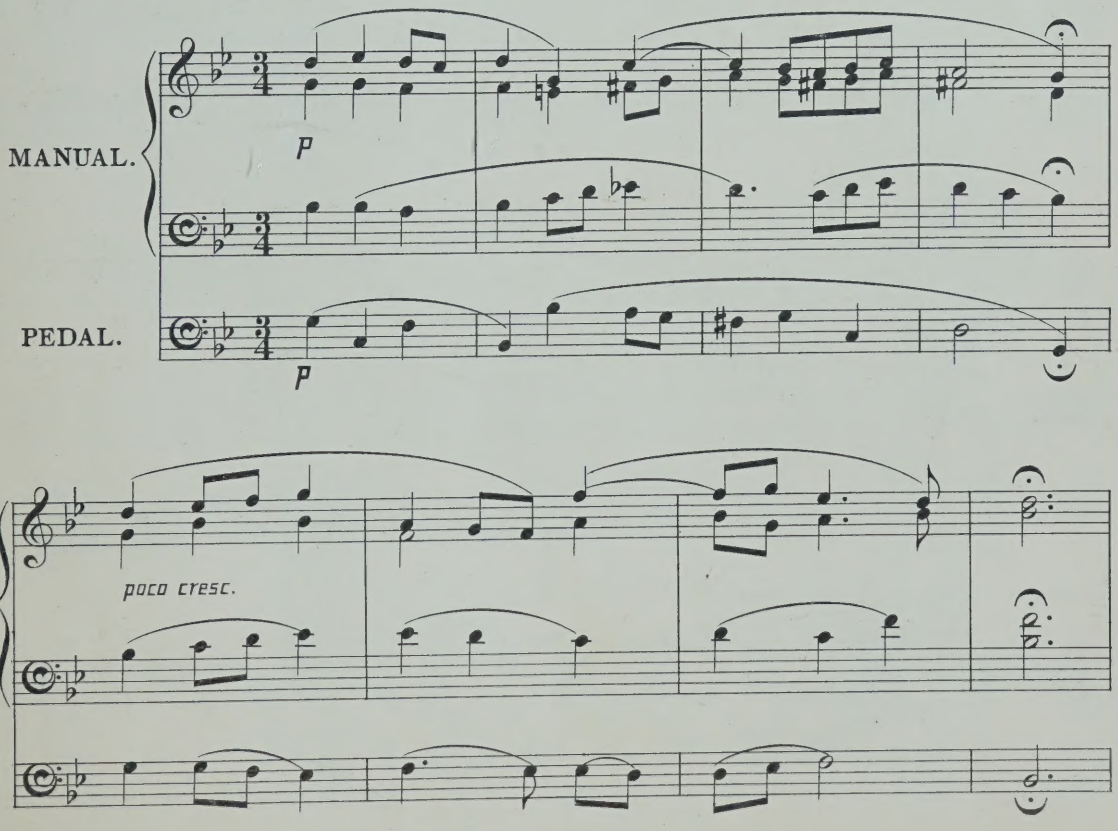
"COME, JESU, COME."

When called by Thee I gain Thy portal,
Mine will be joys no worlds can give;
There shall I know my pains were mortal,
There will my soul in glory live.
There I around Thy Throne shall hover,
There, my Redeemer, I shall sing Thy praise for ever.

Arranged by
John E. West.

J. S. Bach.

Andante assai. (♩ = 60.)



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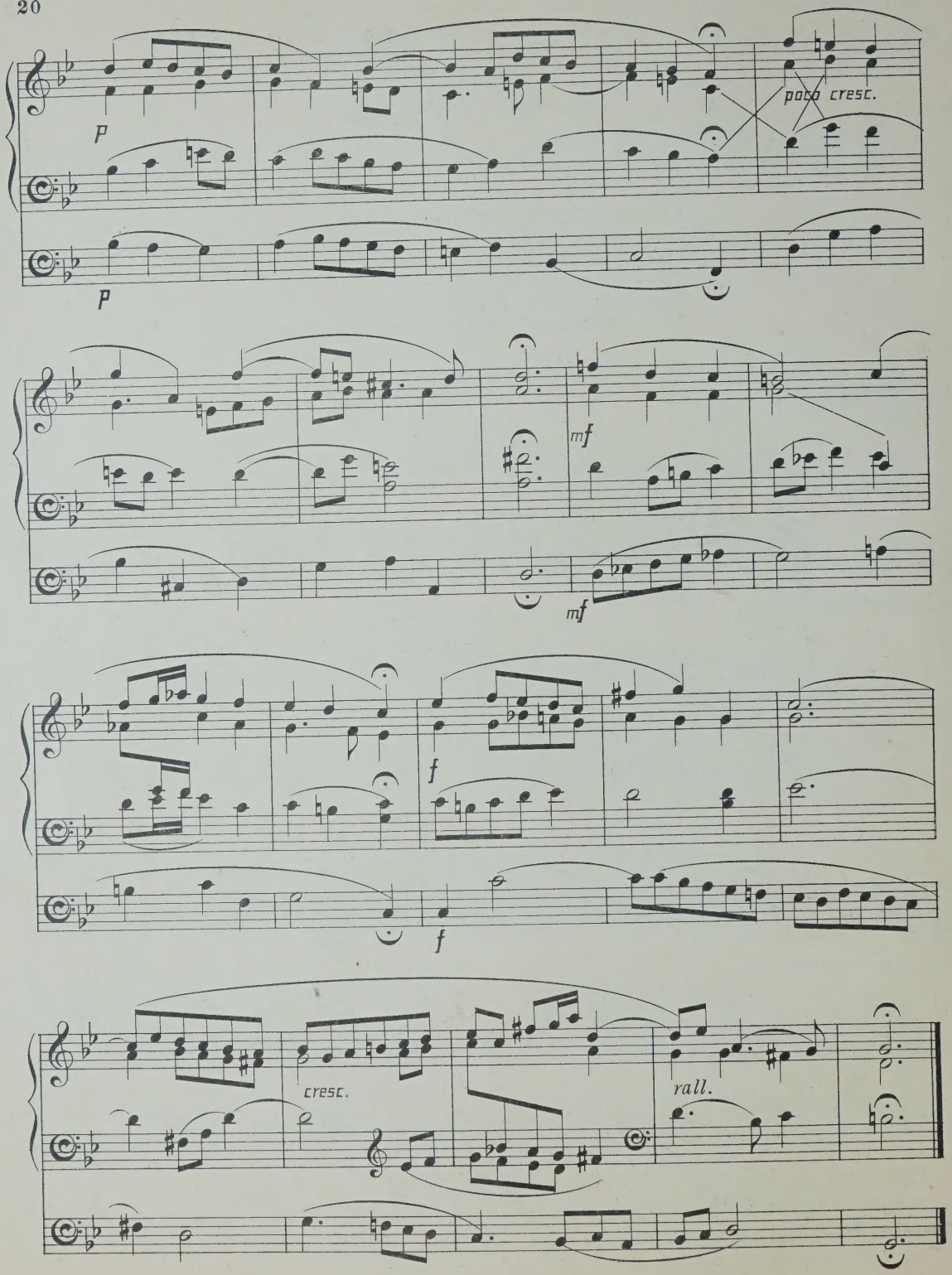
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cresc.
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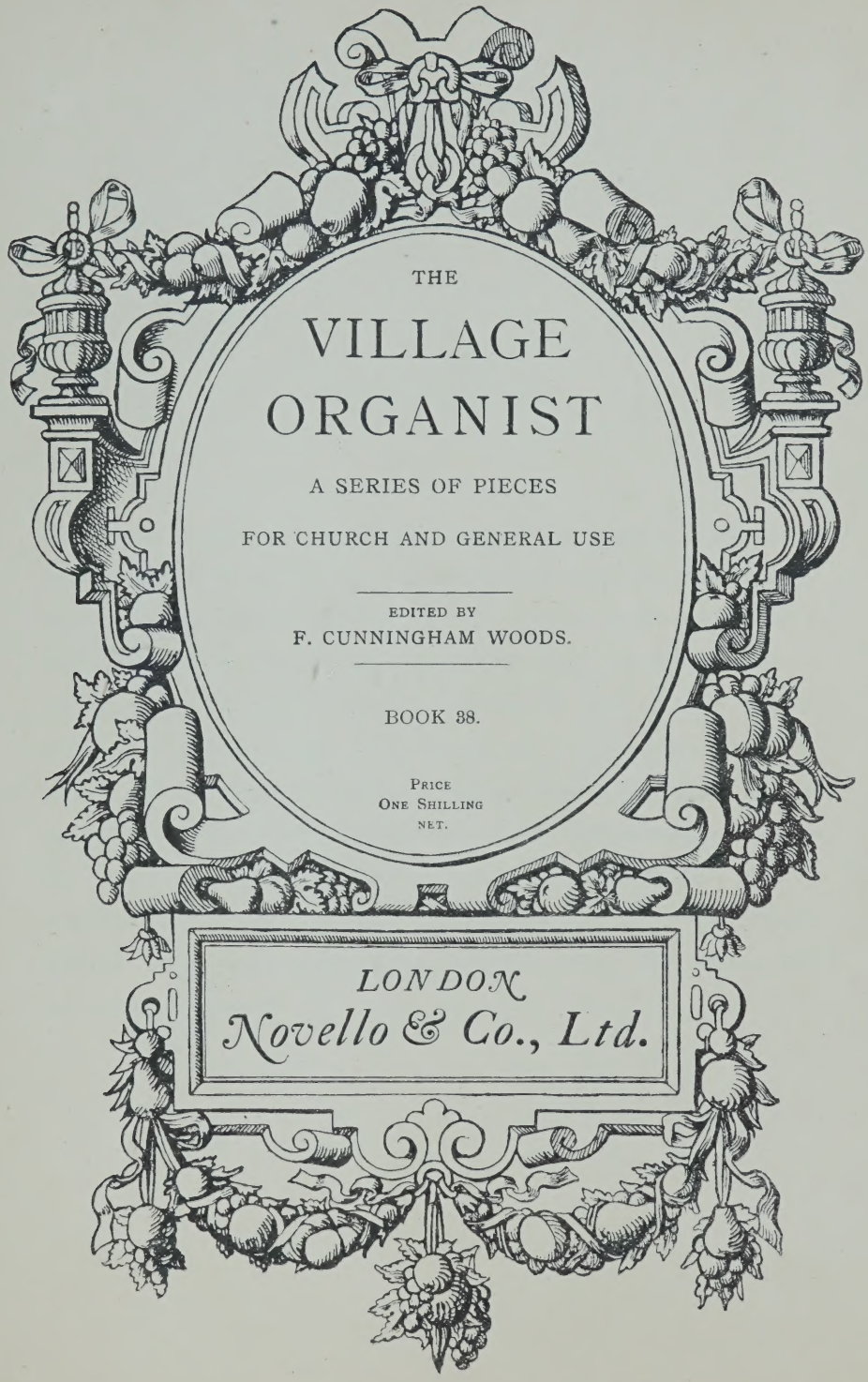
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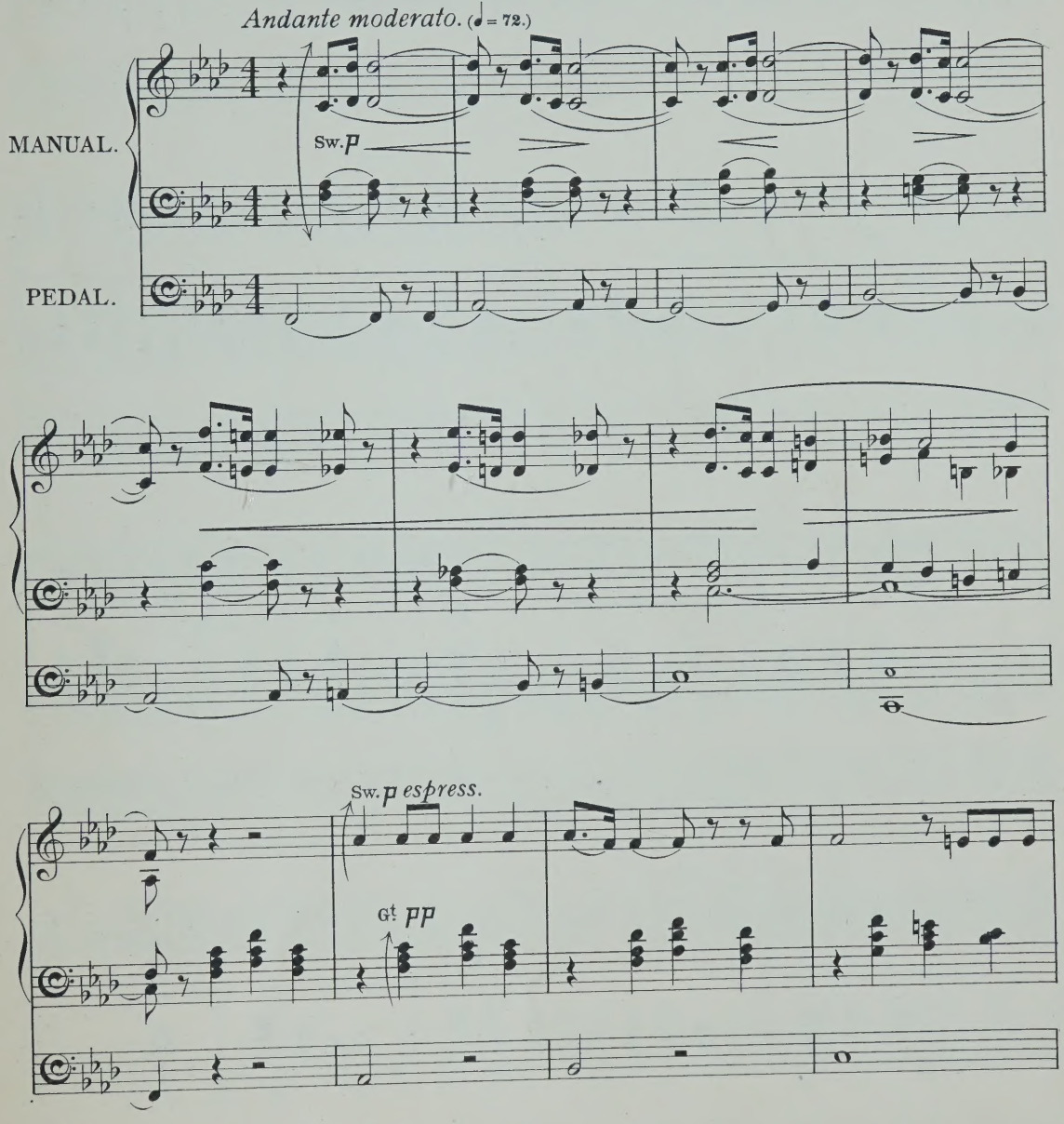
"There is a green hill far away."

Arranged by F. C. W. Gounod.



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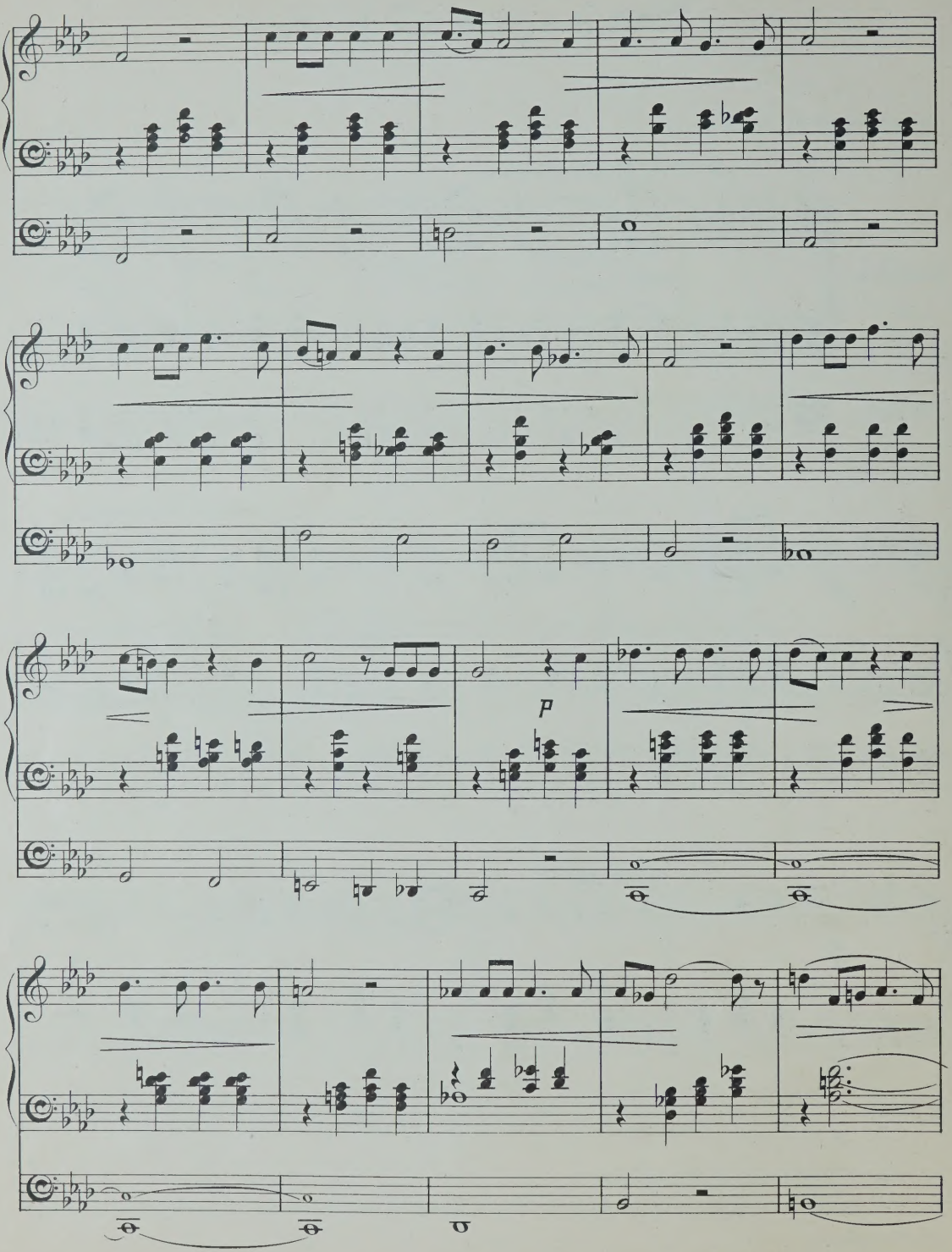
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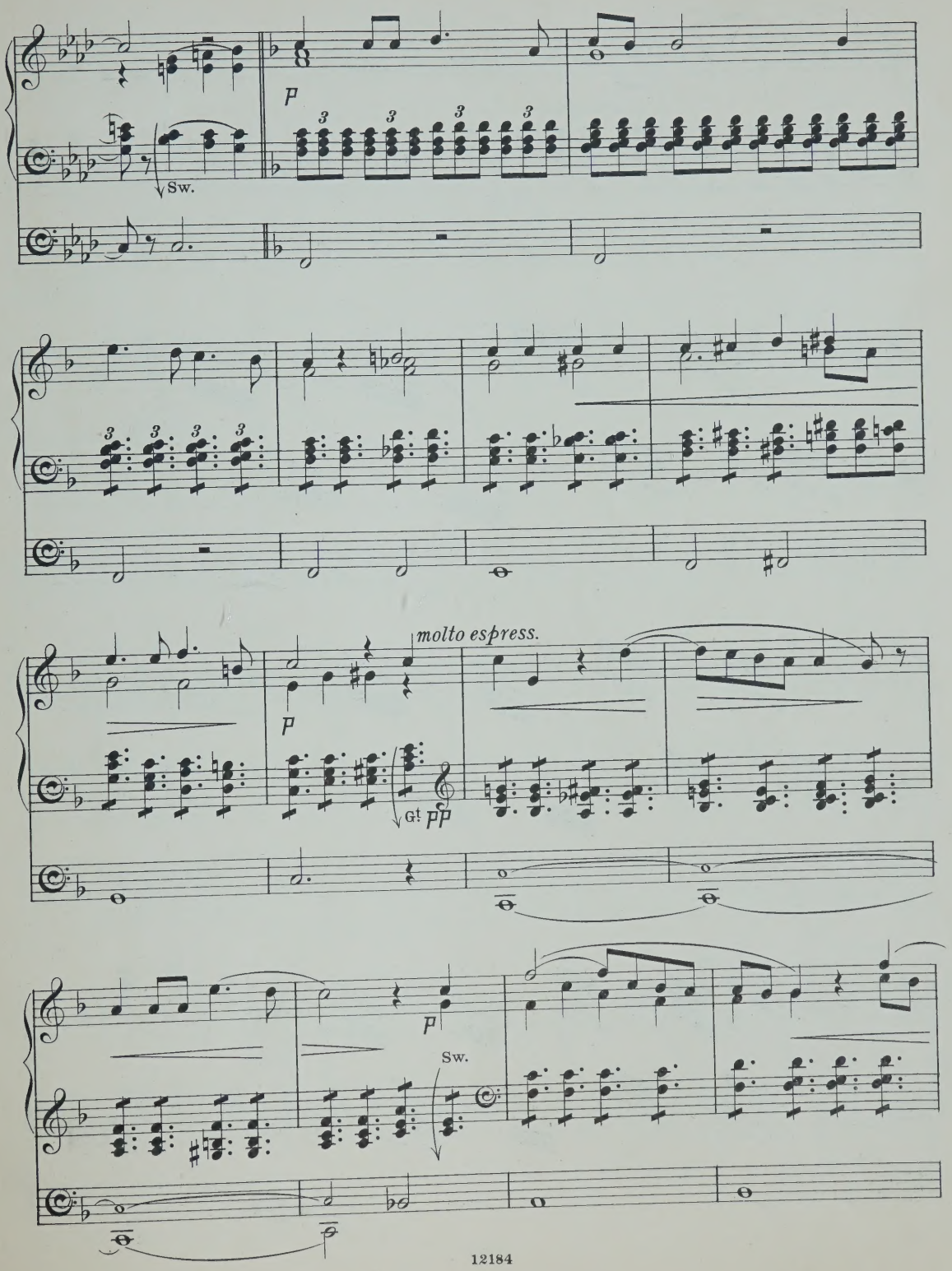
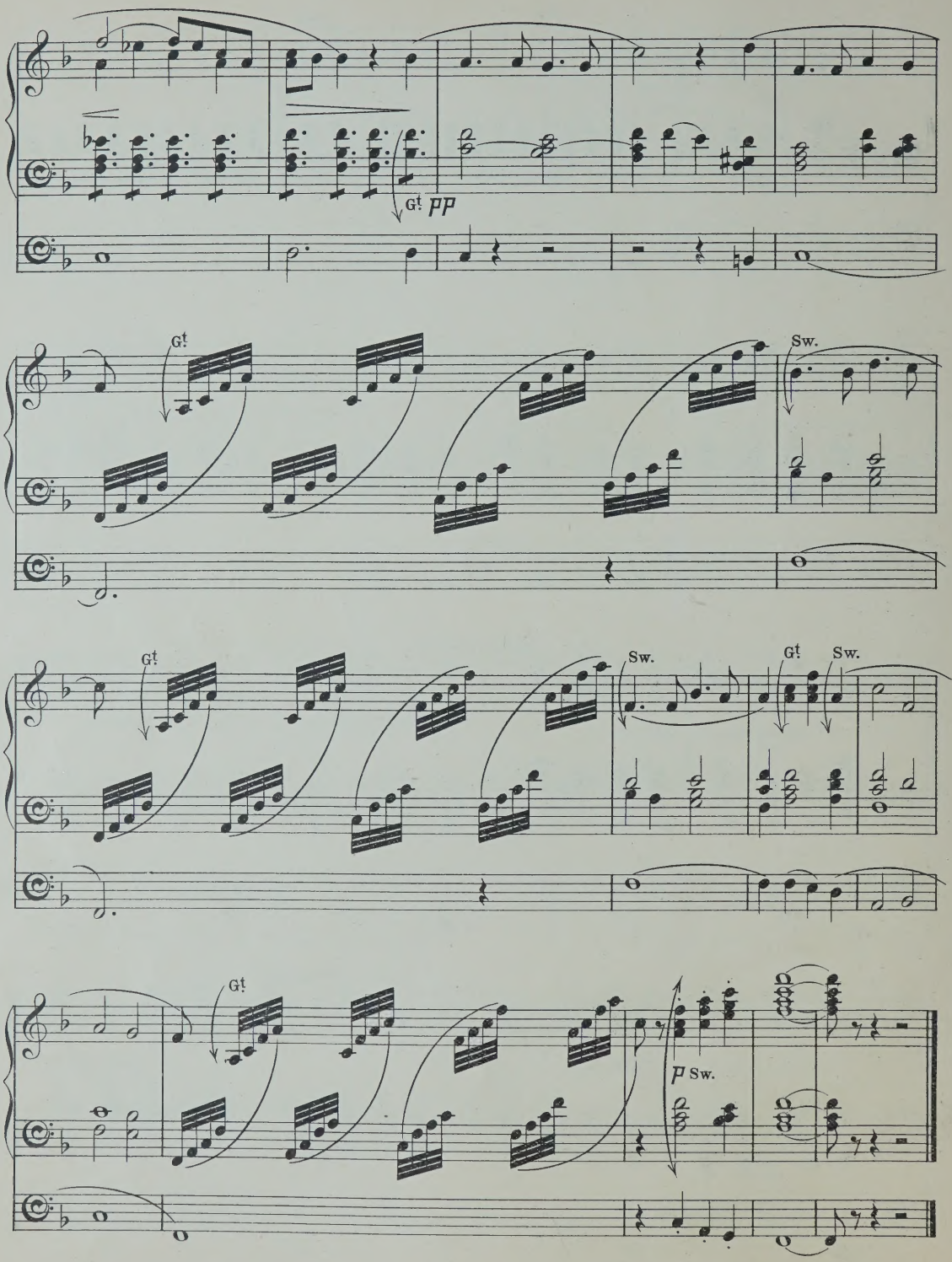

Sw.
molto espress.
Gt
Sw.


Gt
pp
Gt
Sw.
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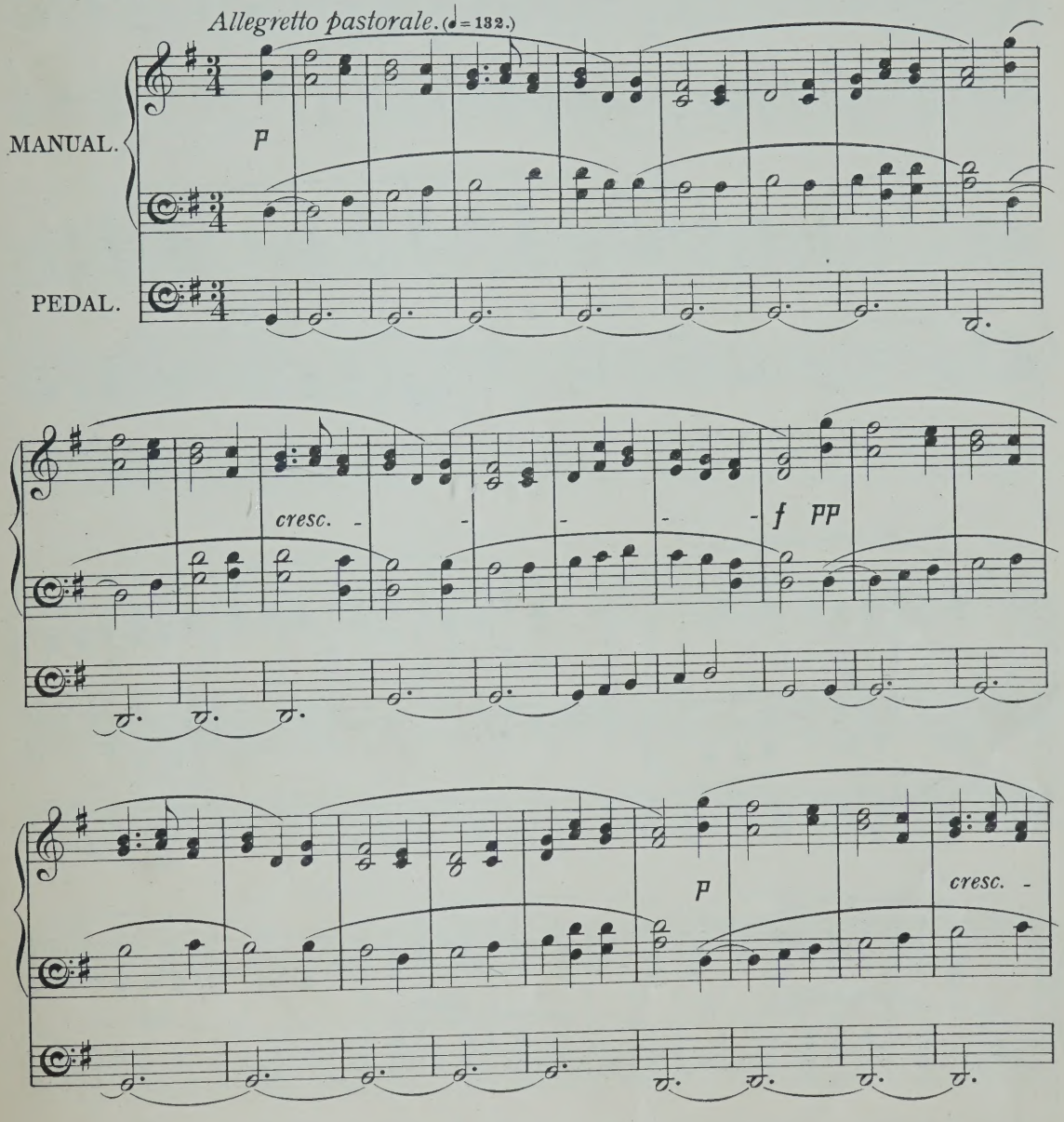
Sw.
Gt
p Sw.

Musette in G.

(Concluding Voluntary.)

Arranged by F. C. W.

Handel.



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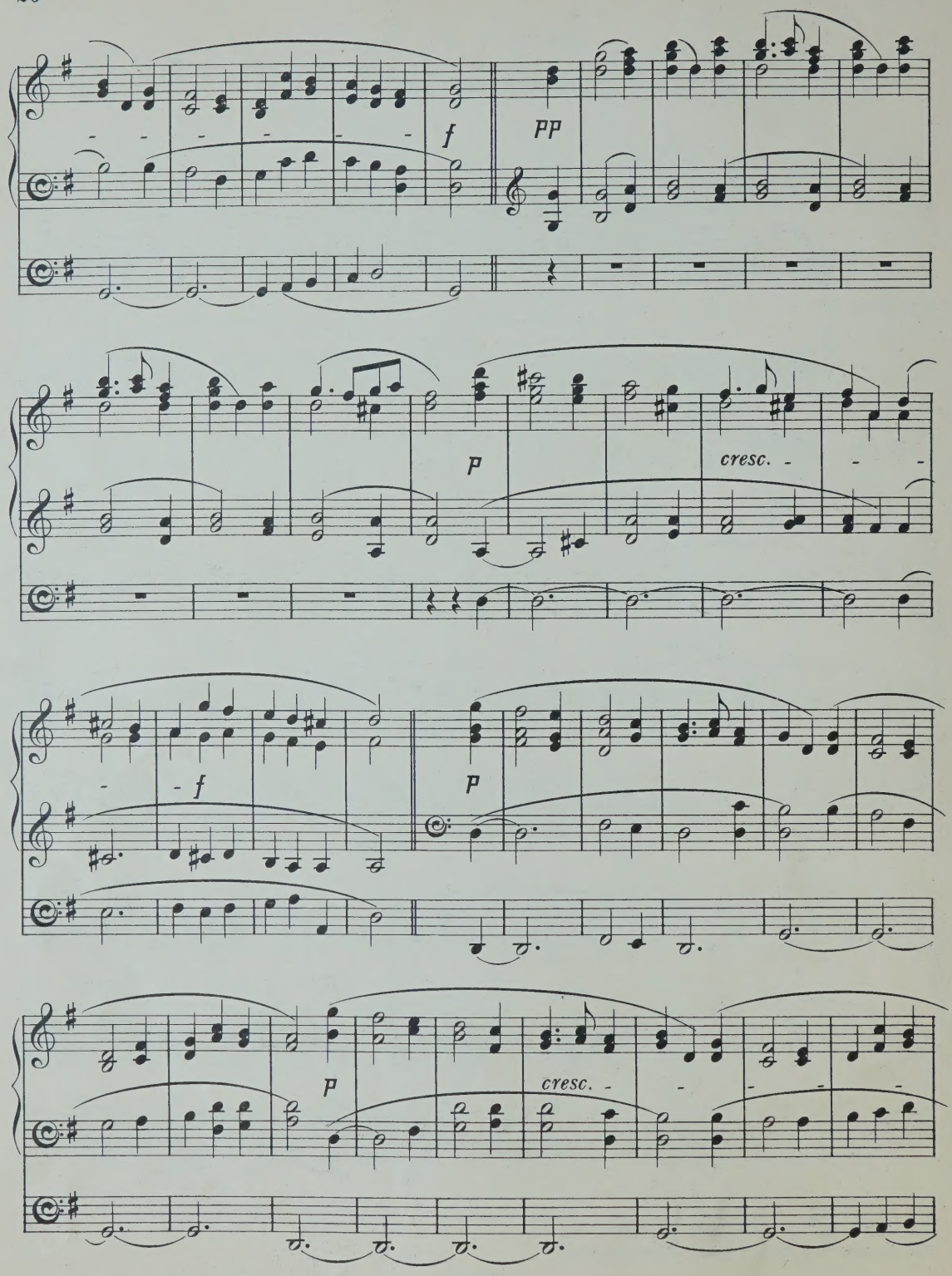
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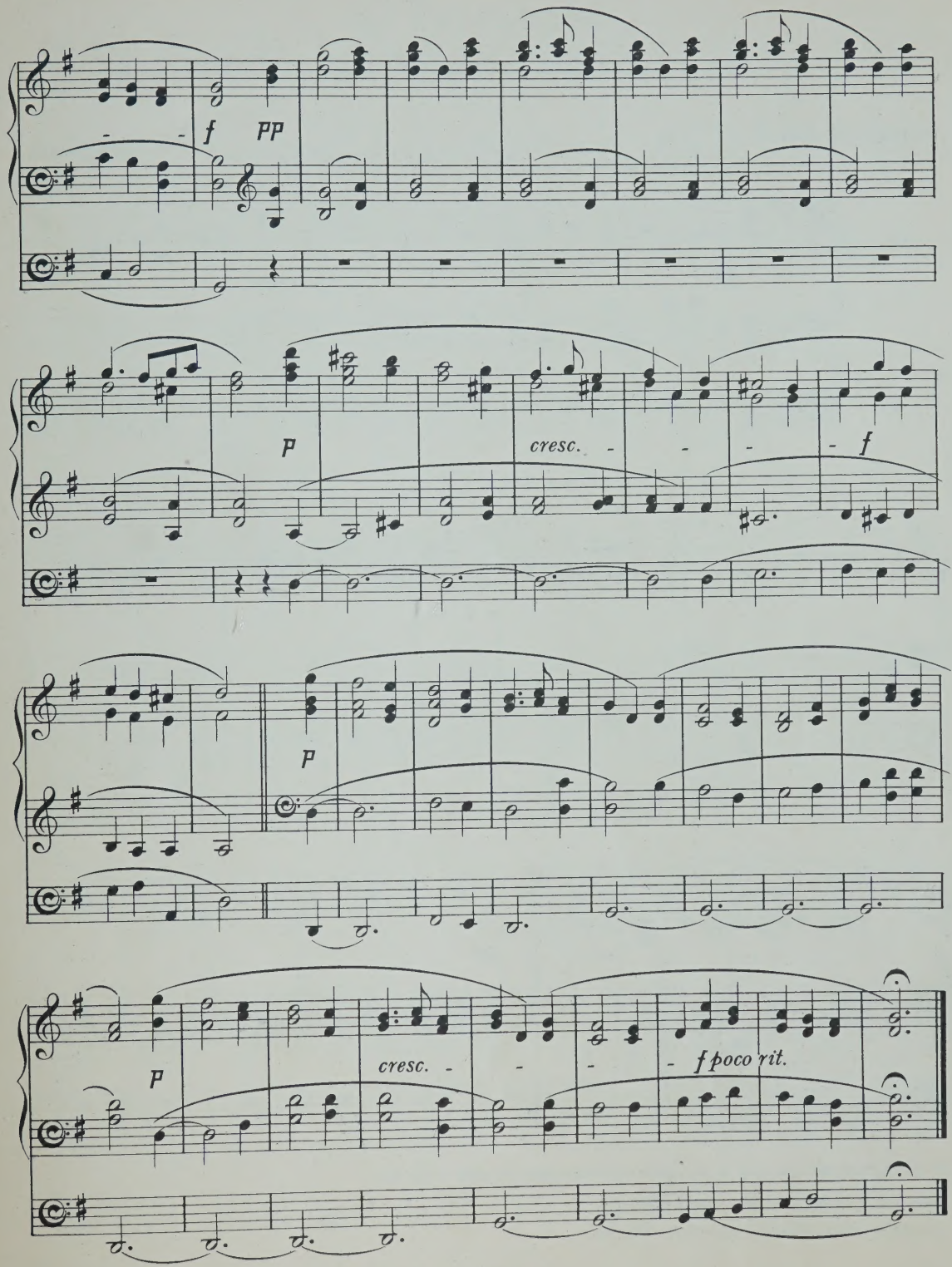
p
p
cresc.


f
pp
p
cresc.
f
p
p
cresc.
f poco rit.

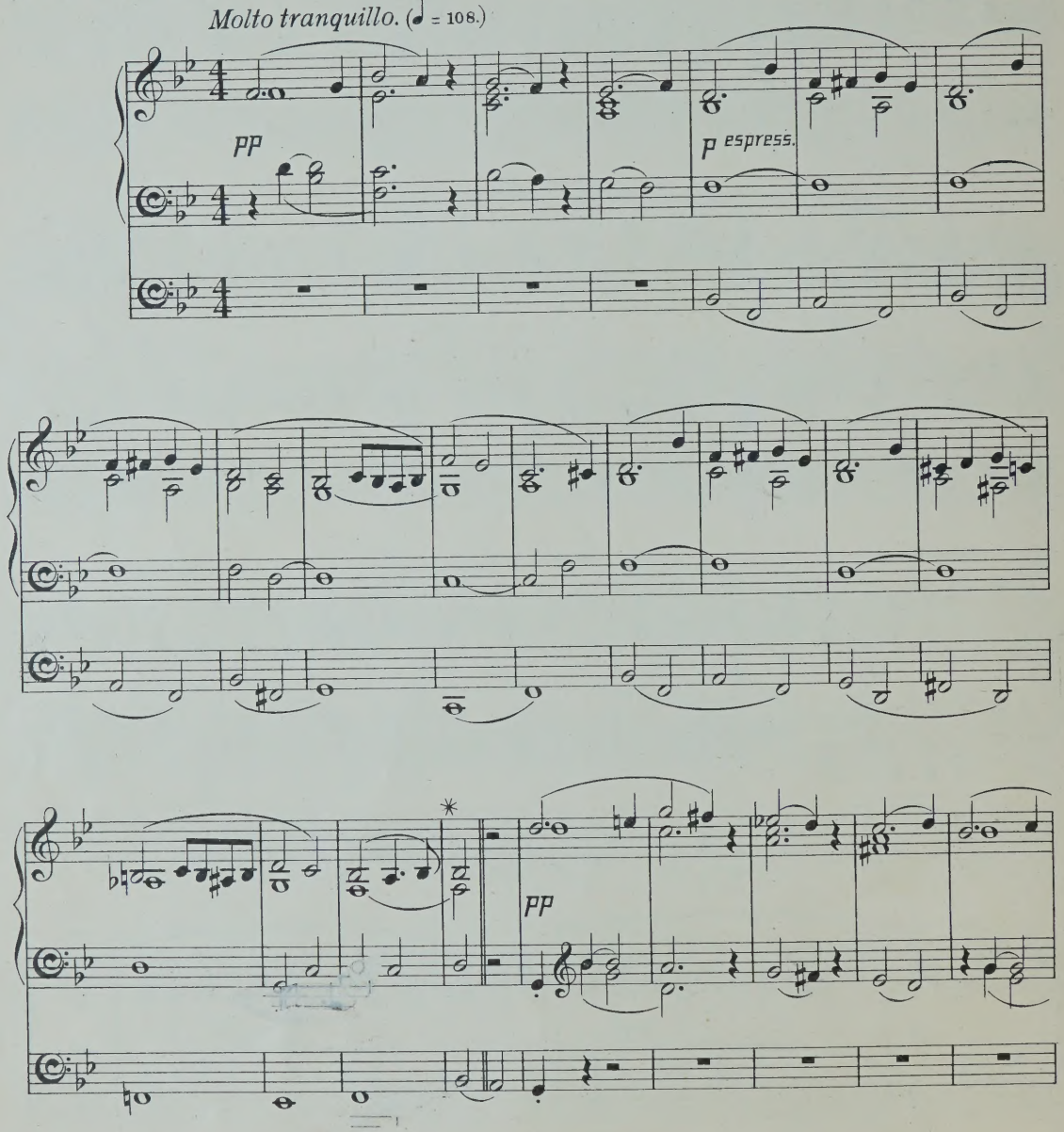
Meditation in B flat.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Arranged by F. C.W.

Max Oesten.

Molto tranquillo. (♩ = 108.)



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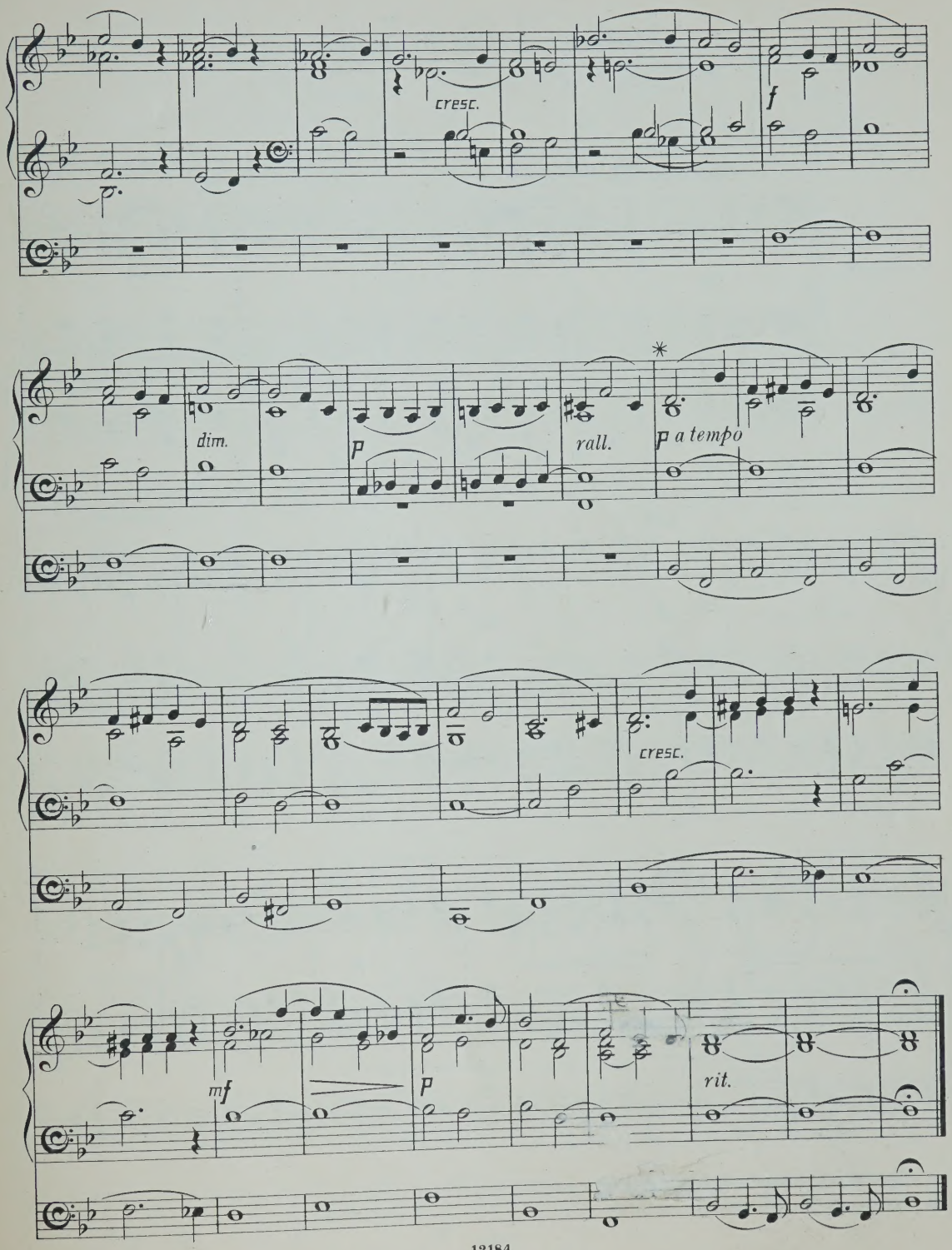

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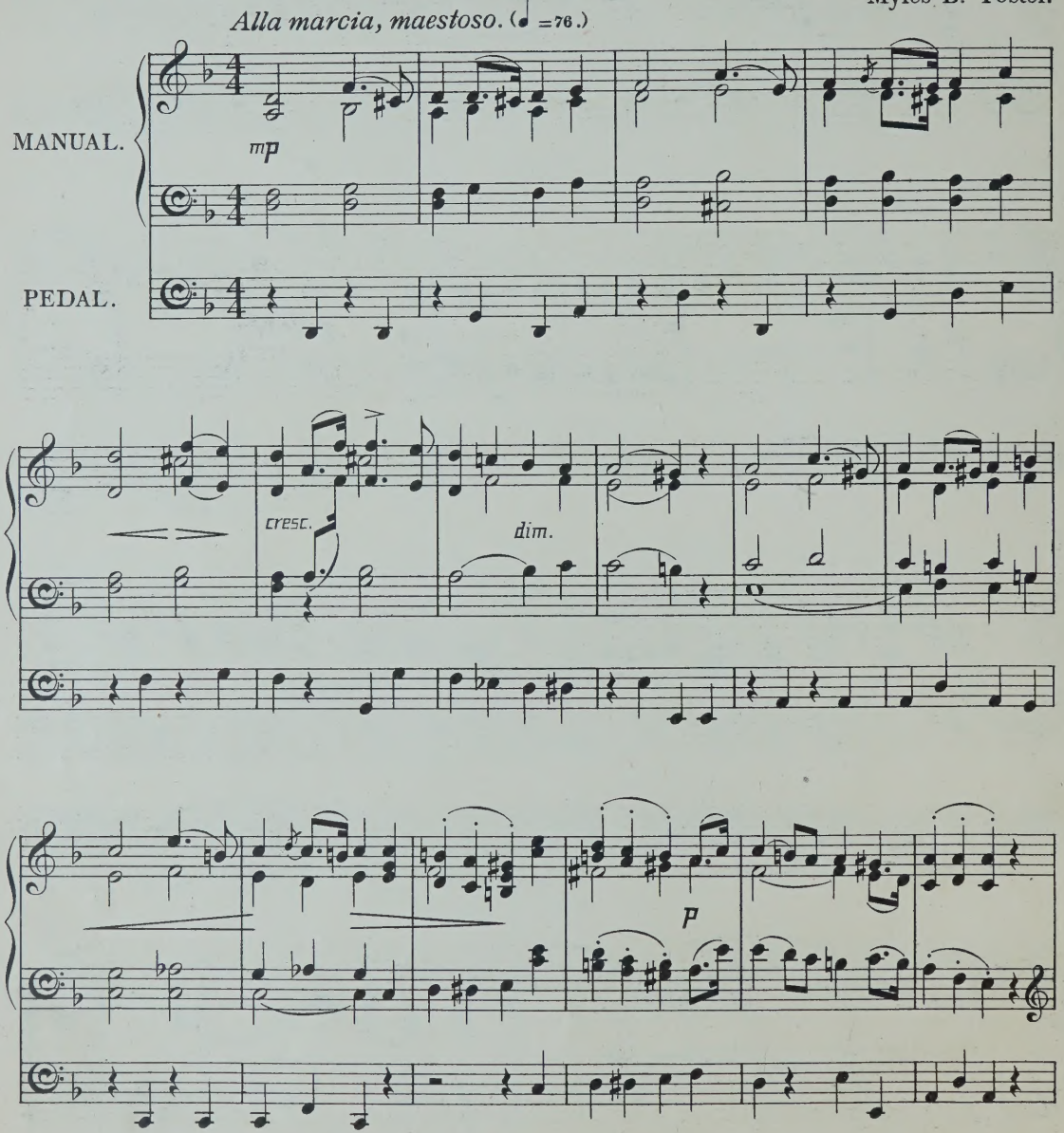
Solemn March in D minor.

Myles B. Foster.



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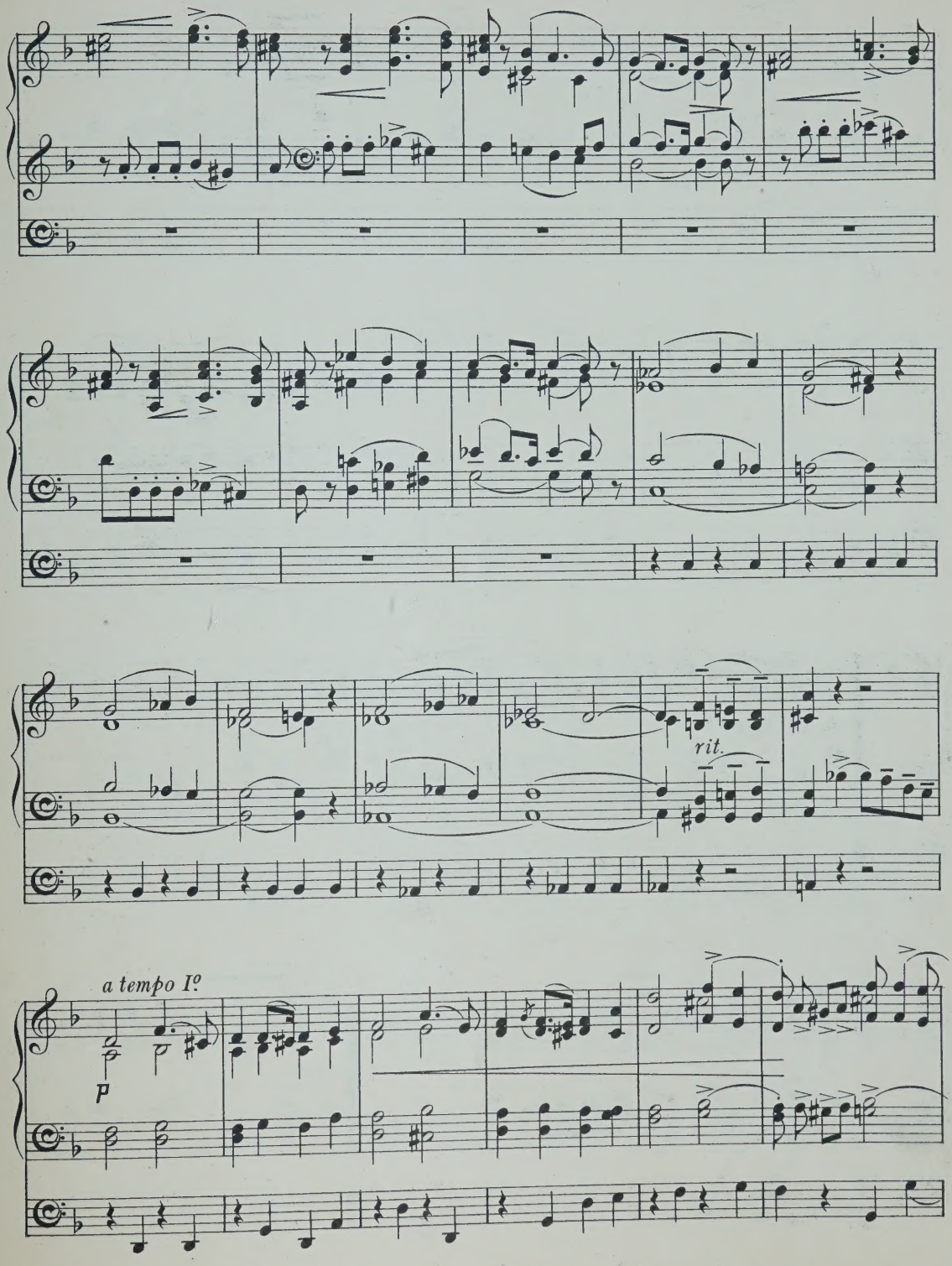
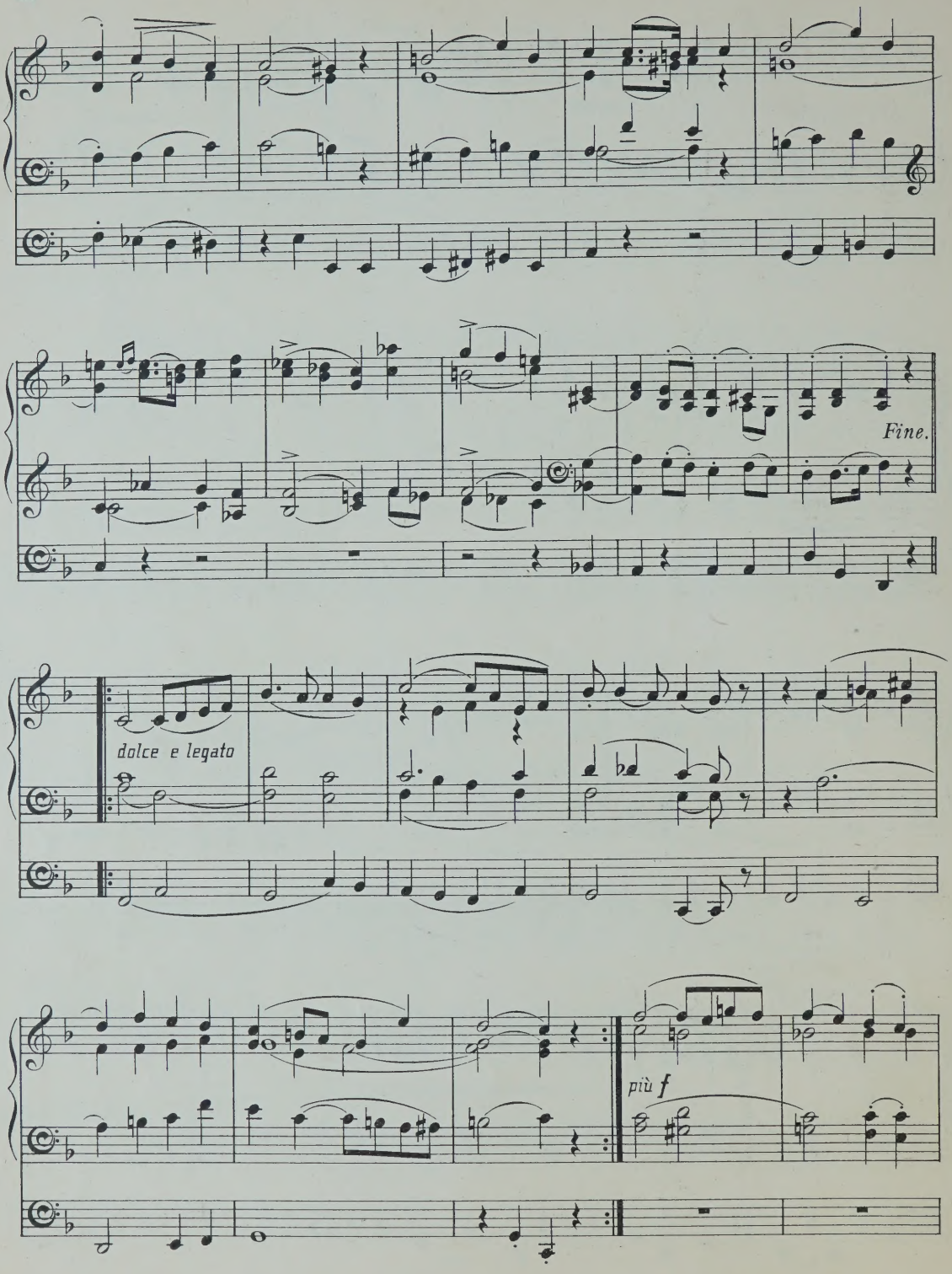
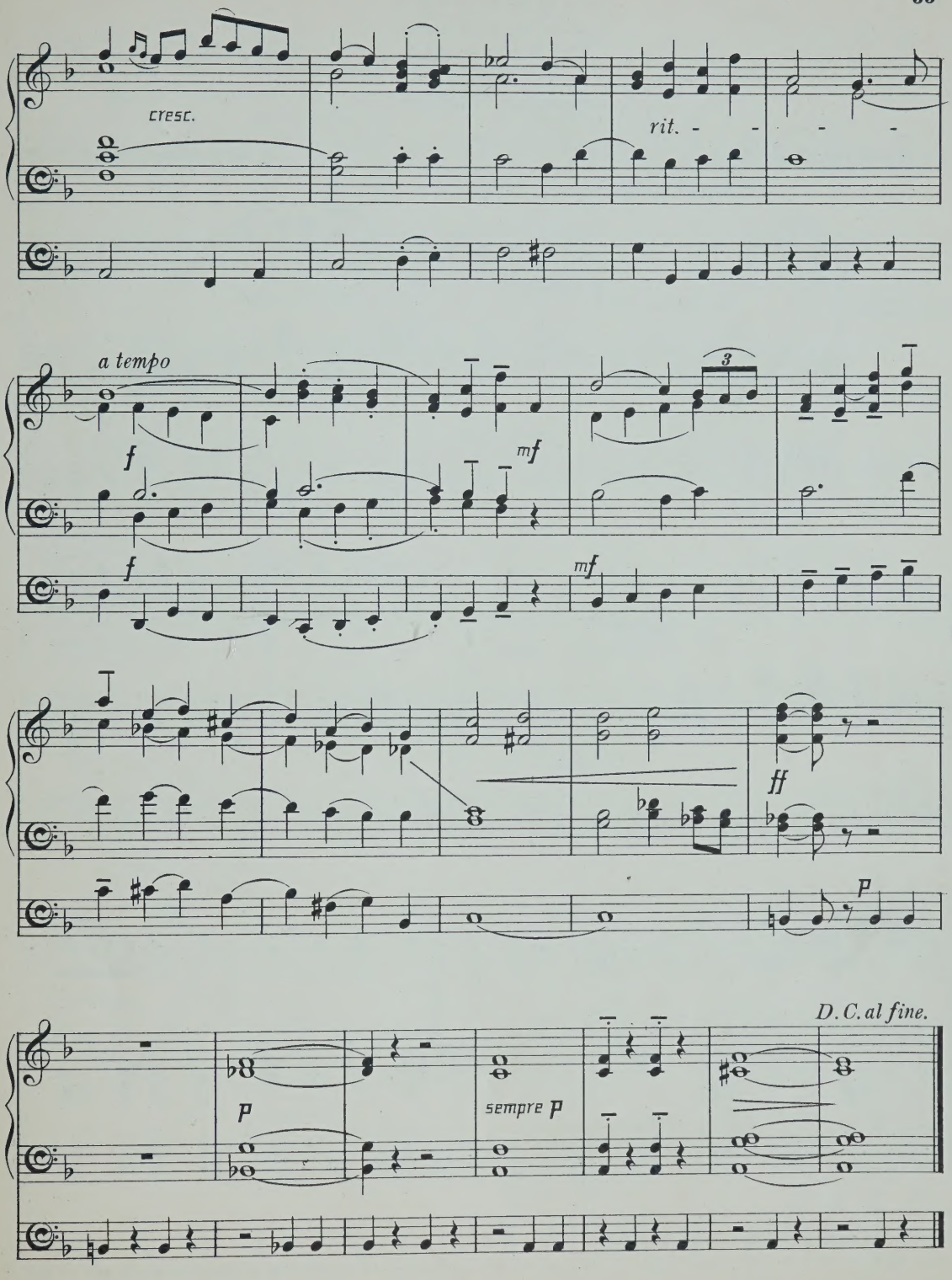

rit.
a tempo I°
p


Fine.
dolce e legato
più f


cresc.
rit.
a tempo
f
mf
f
mf
3
ff
p
D. C. al fine.
p
sempre p

ABENDLIED.

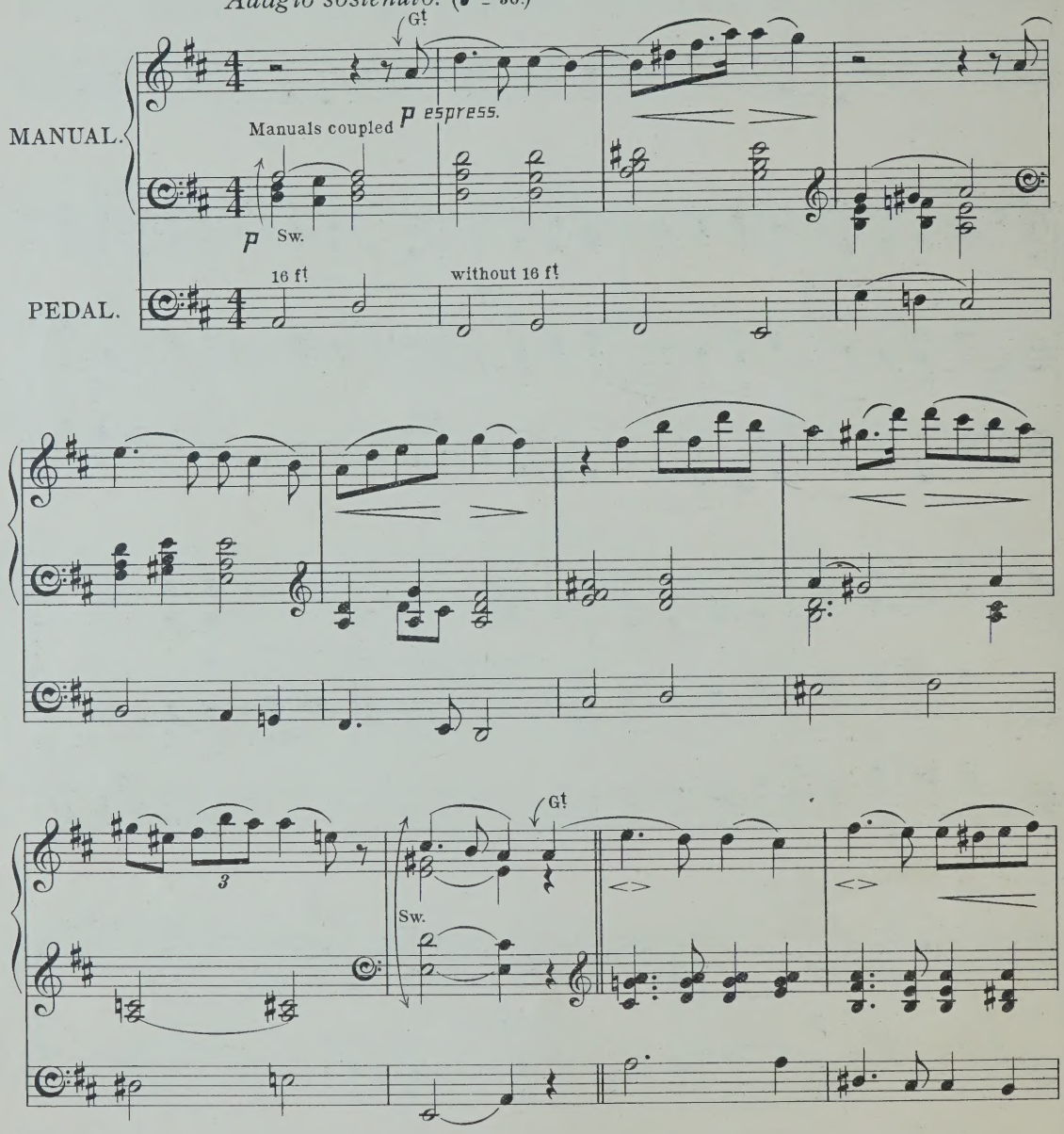
EVENING SONG.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Arranged by W. H. B.

R. Schumann, Op. 85, Nº 12.

Adagio sostenuto. (♩ = 50.)



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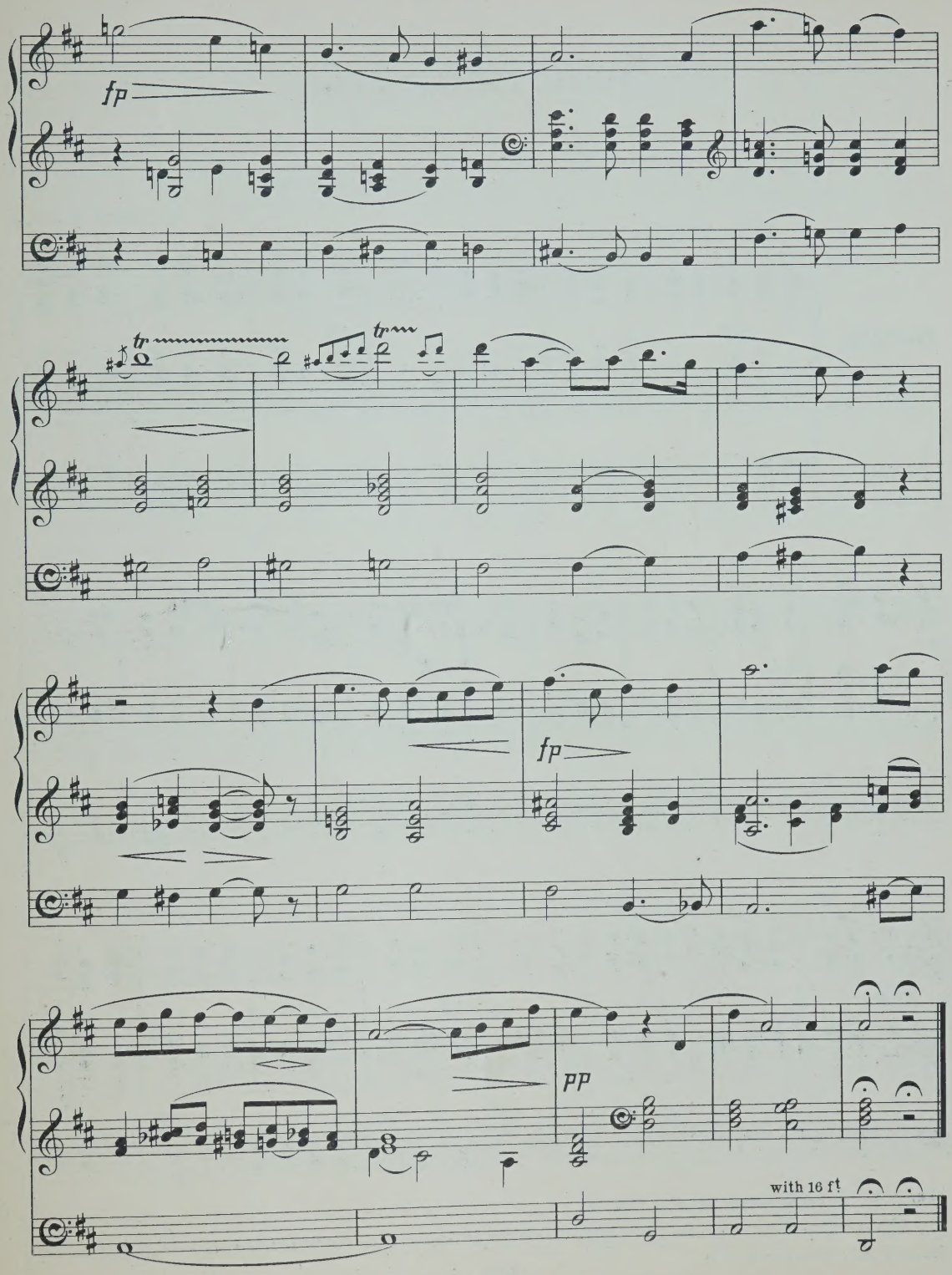
(Original key D flat.)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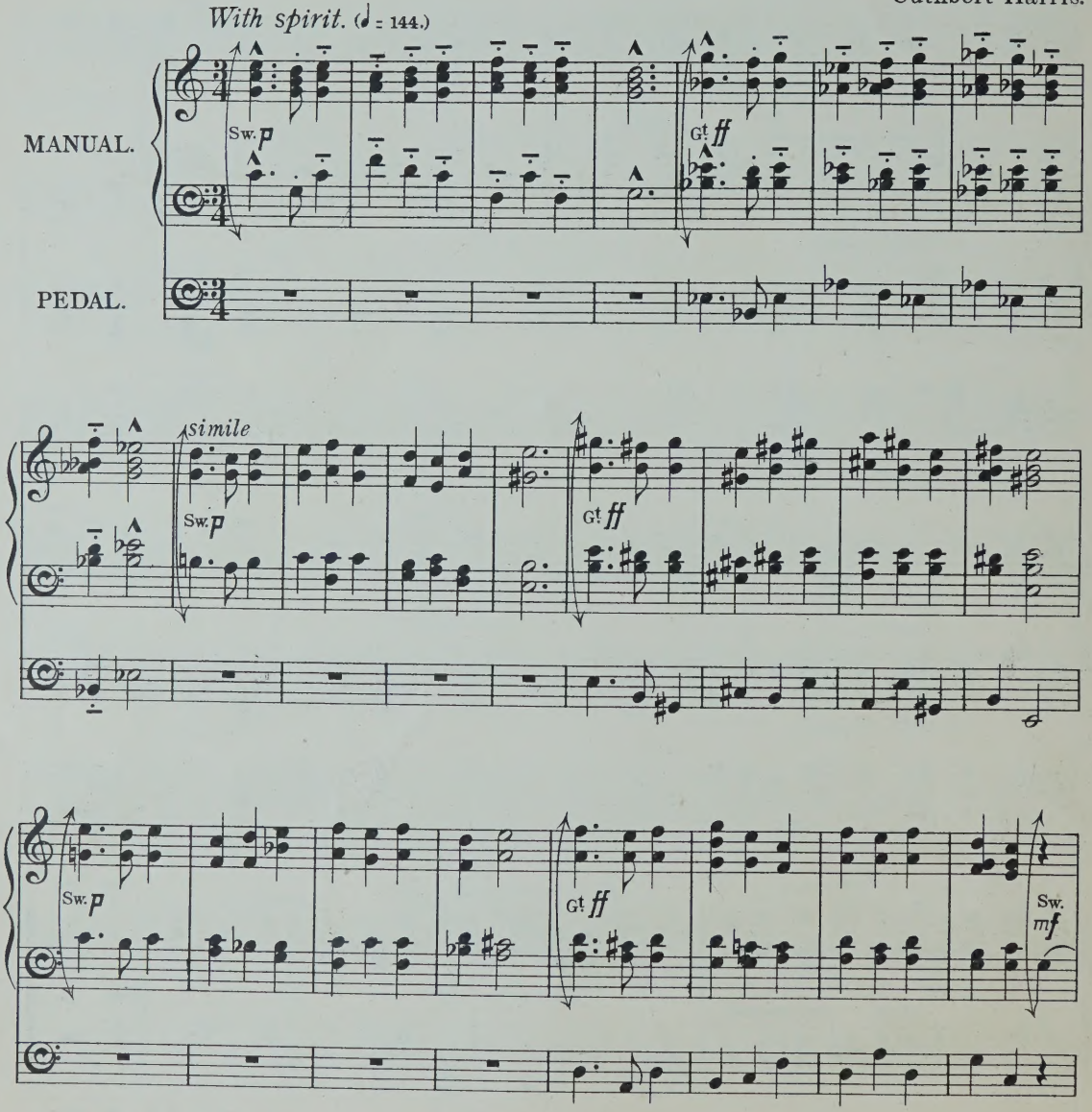
tr
tr
fp
pp
with 16 ft

Festival Postlude in C.

Cuthbert Harris.



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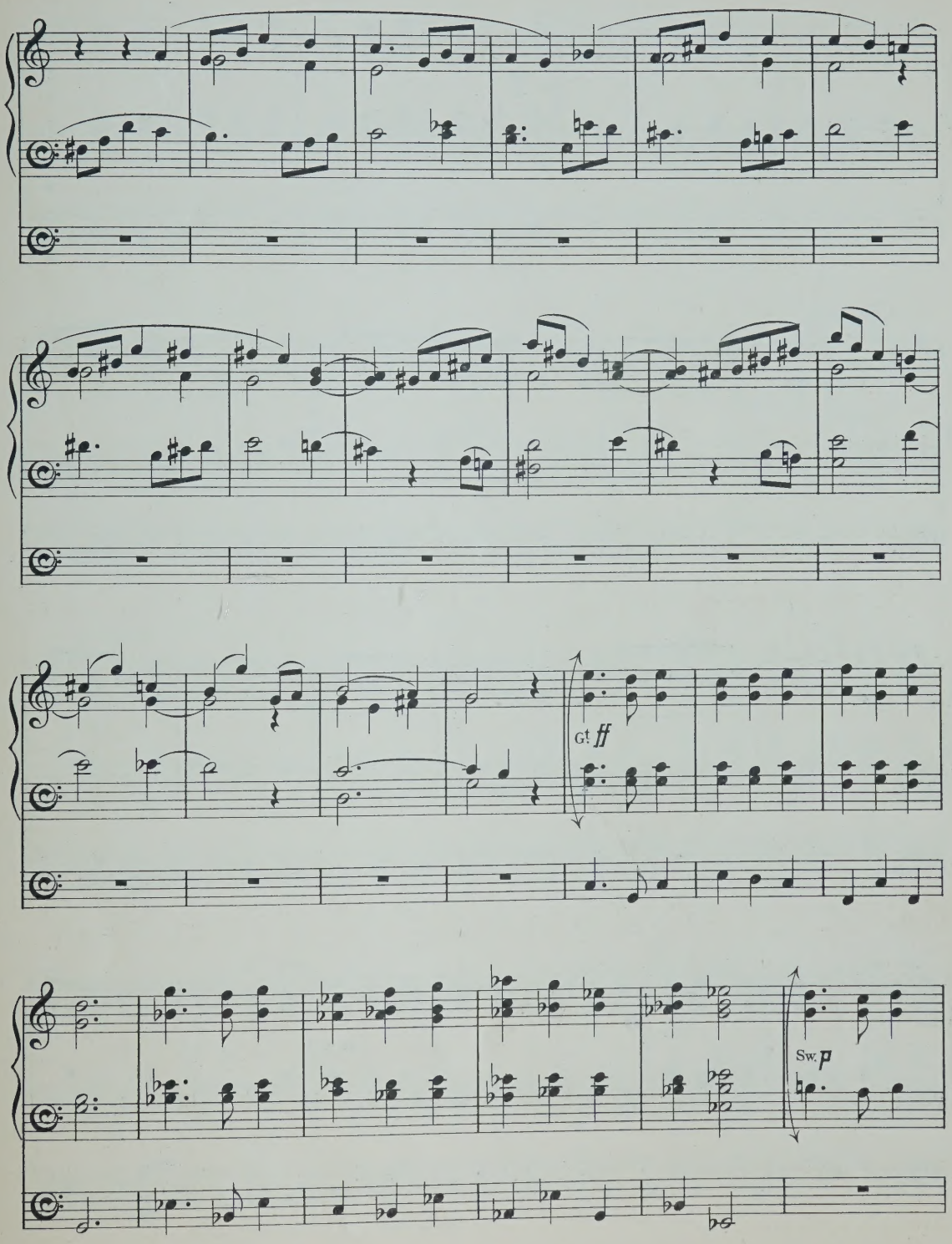
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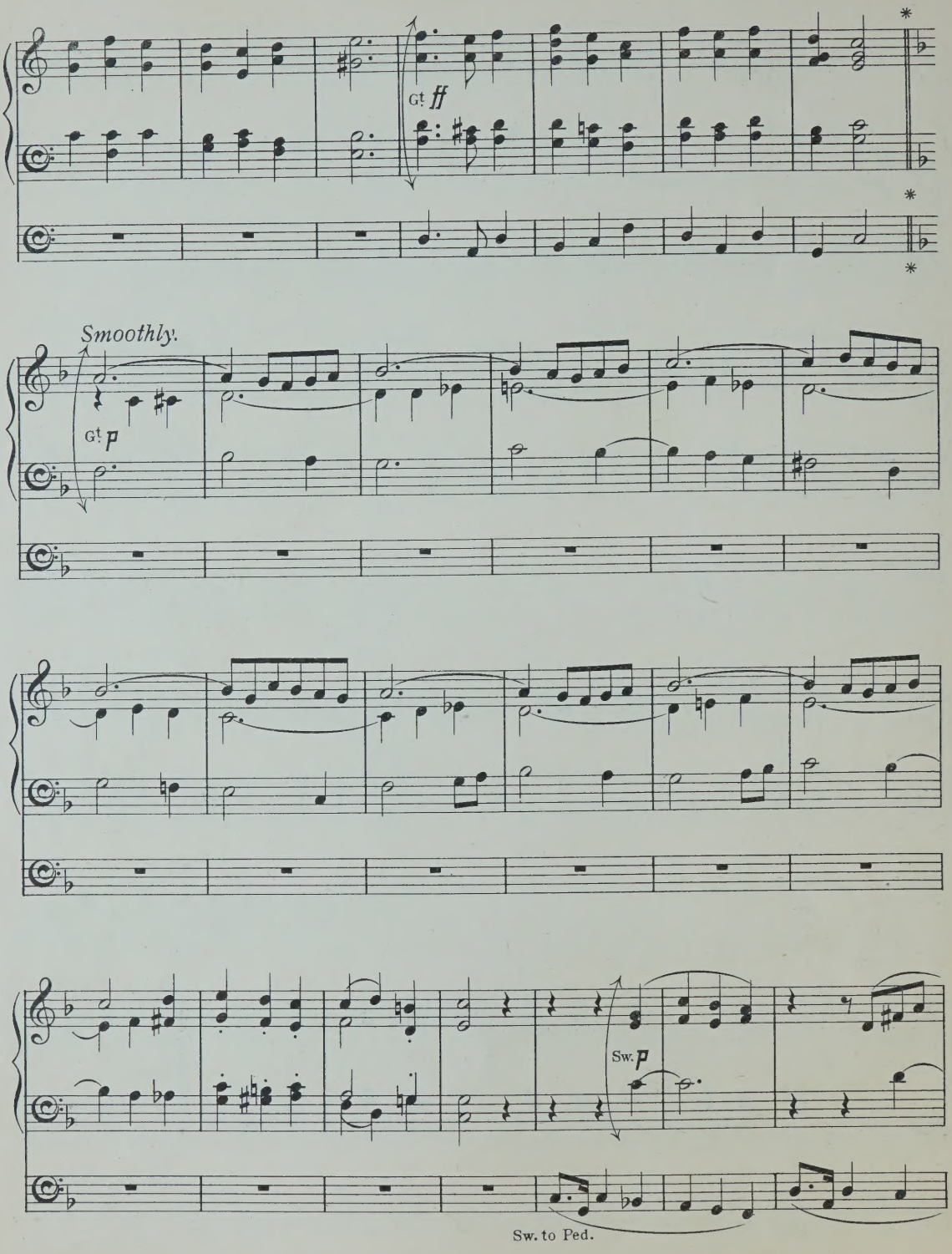

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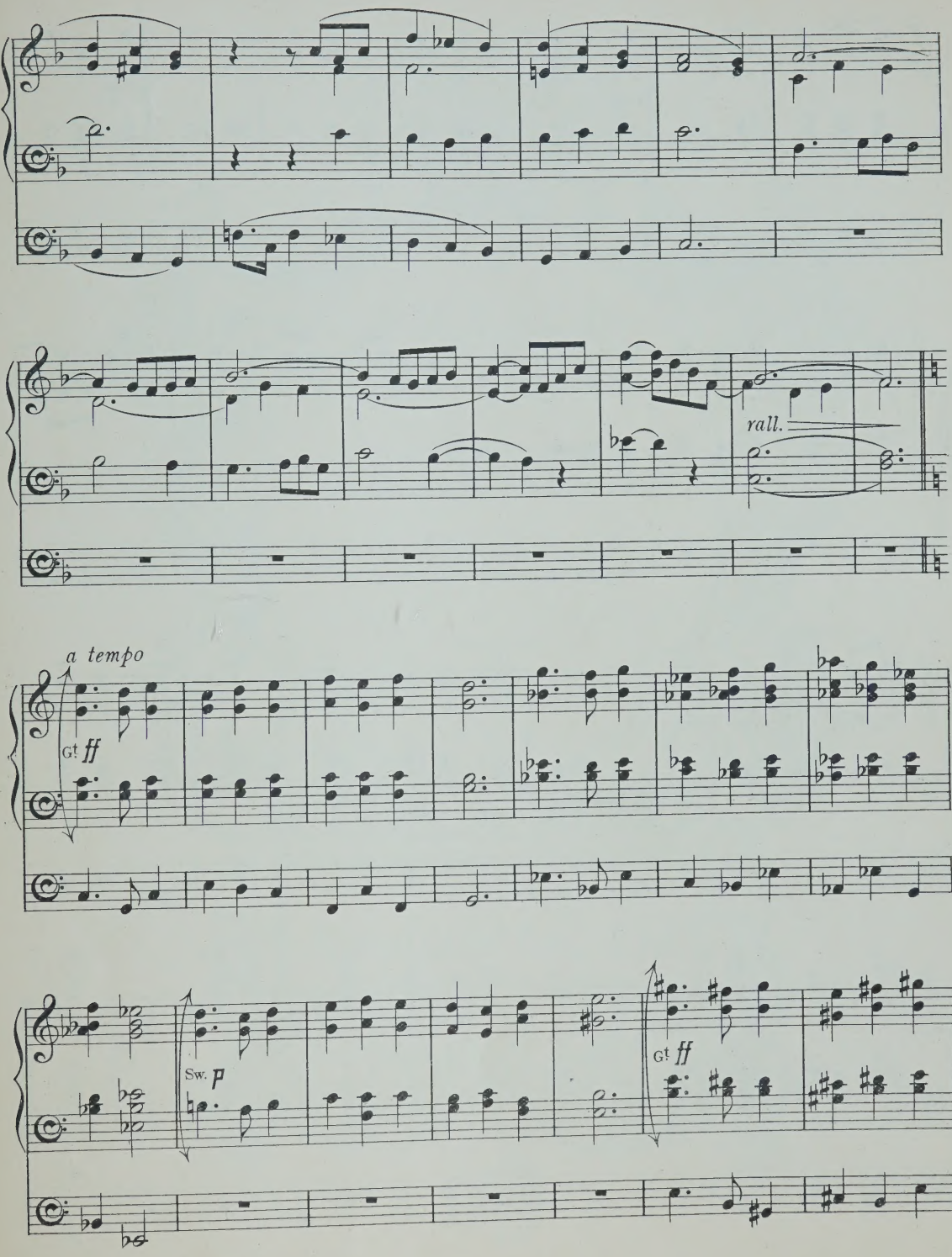
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a tempo
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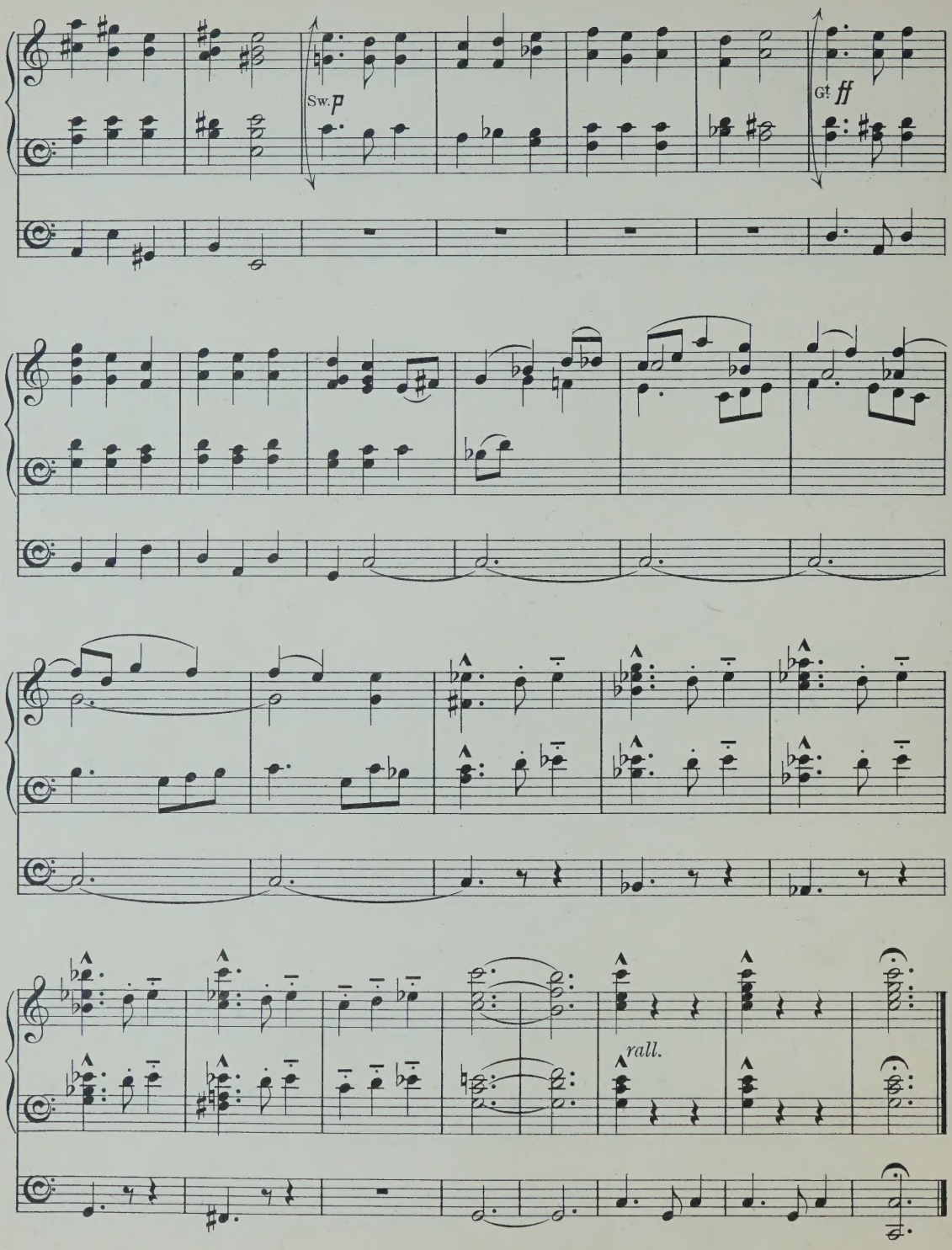
Sw. p
Gt ff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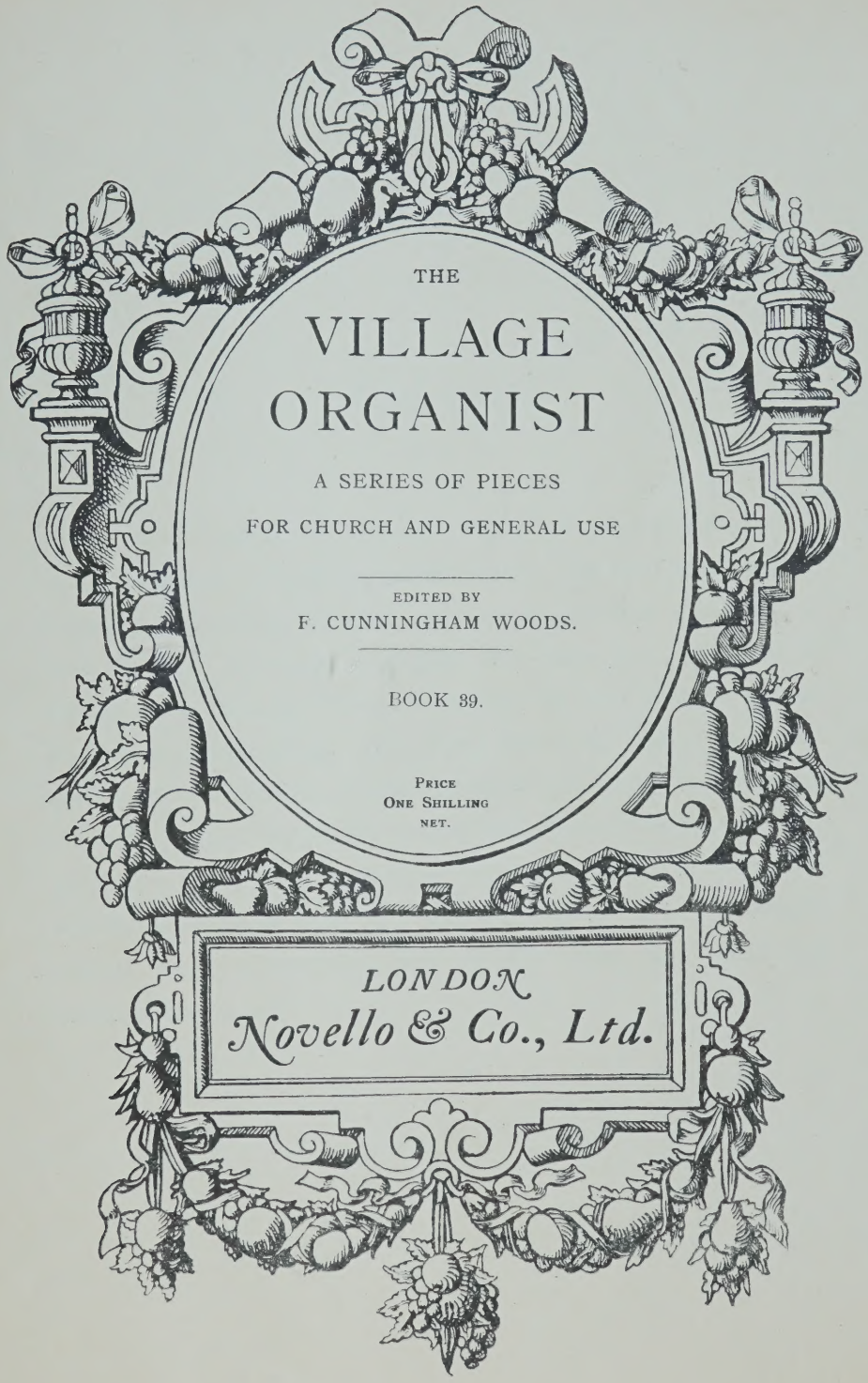

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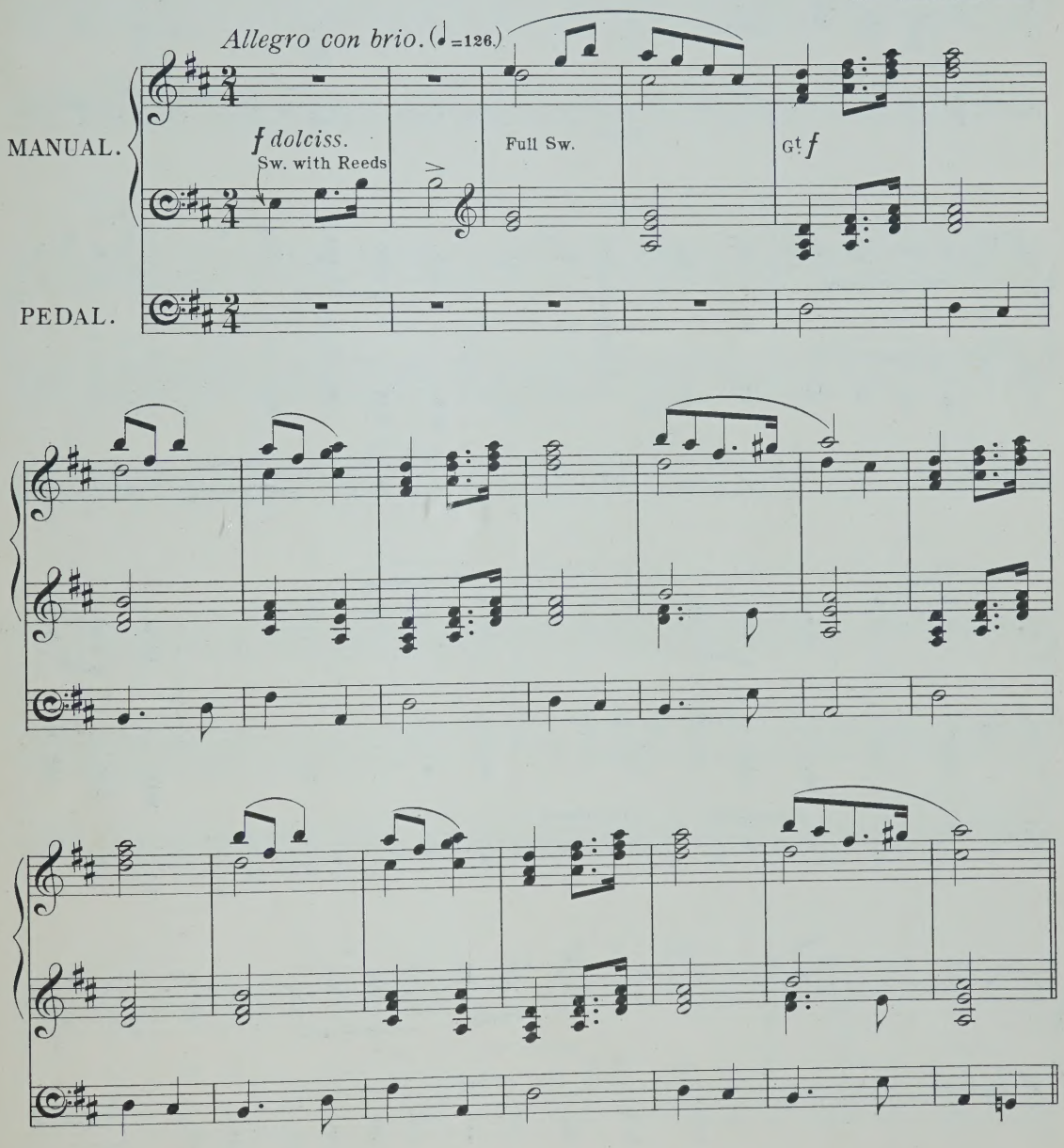
To my Friend Mr John E. West.

Festal Postlude.

E. Markham Lee.



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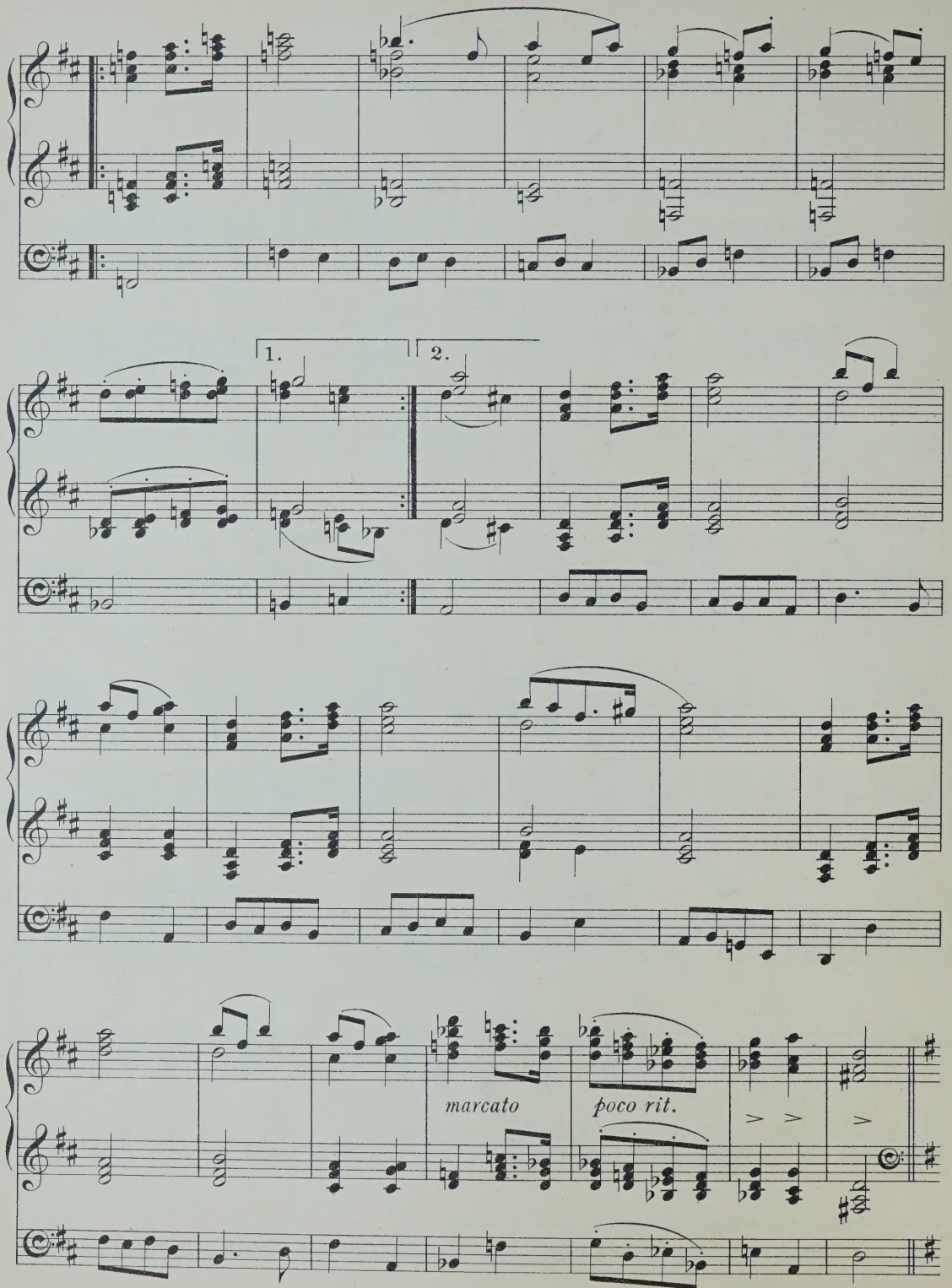
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2.
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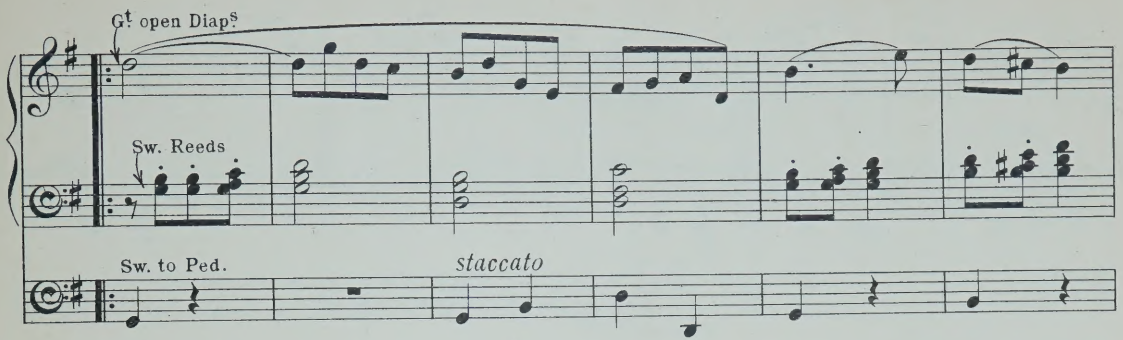
poco rit.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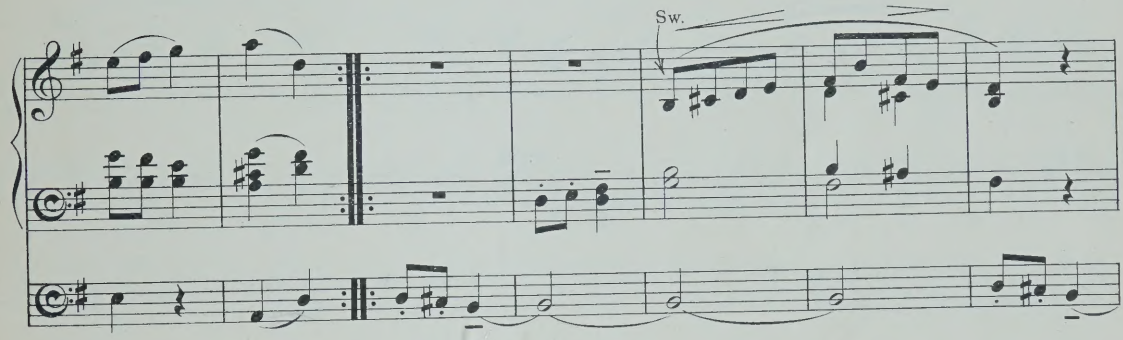
Sw. Reeds
Sw. to Ped.
staccato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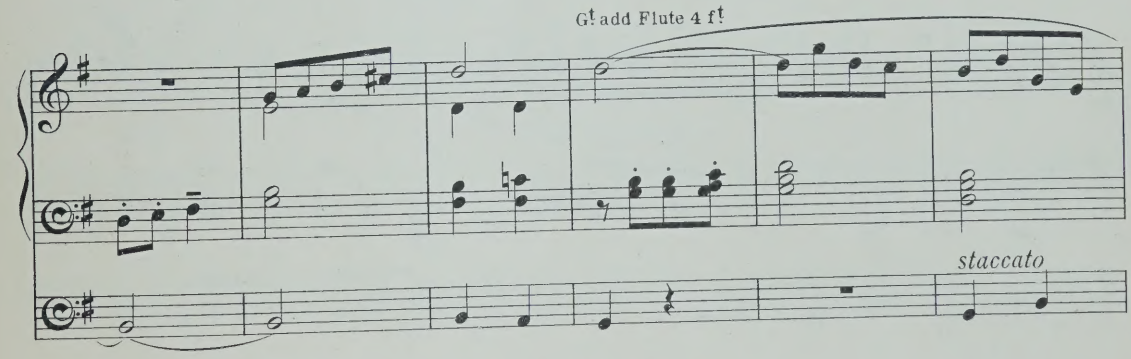
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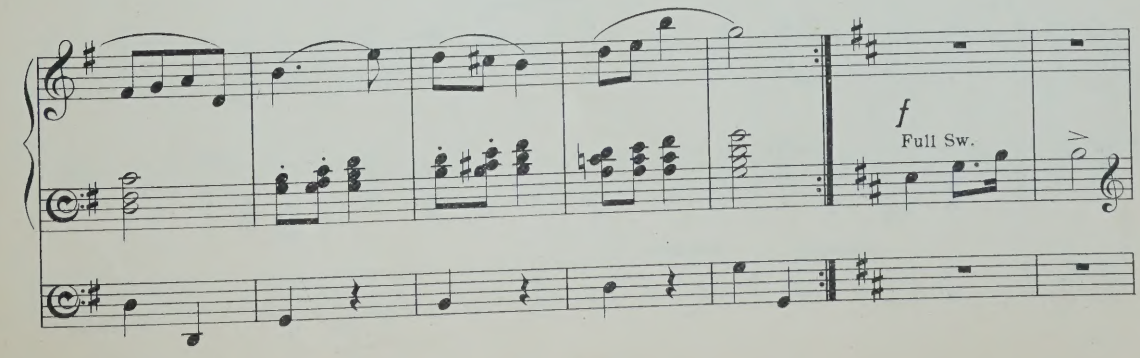
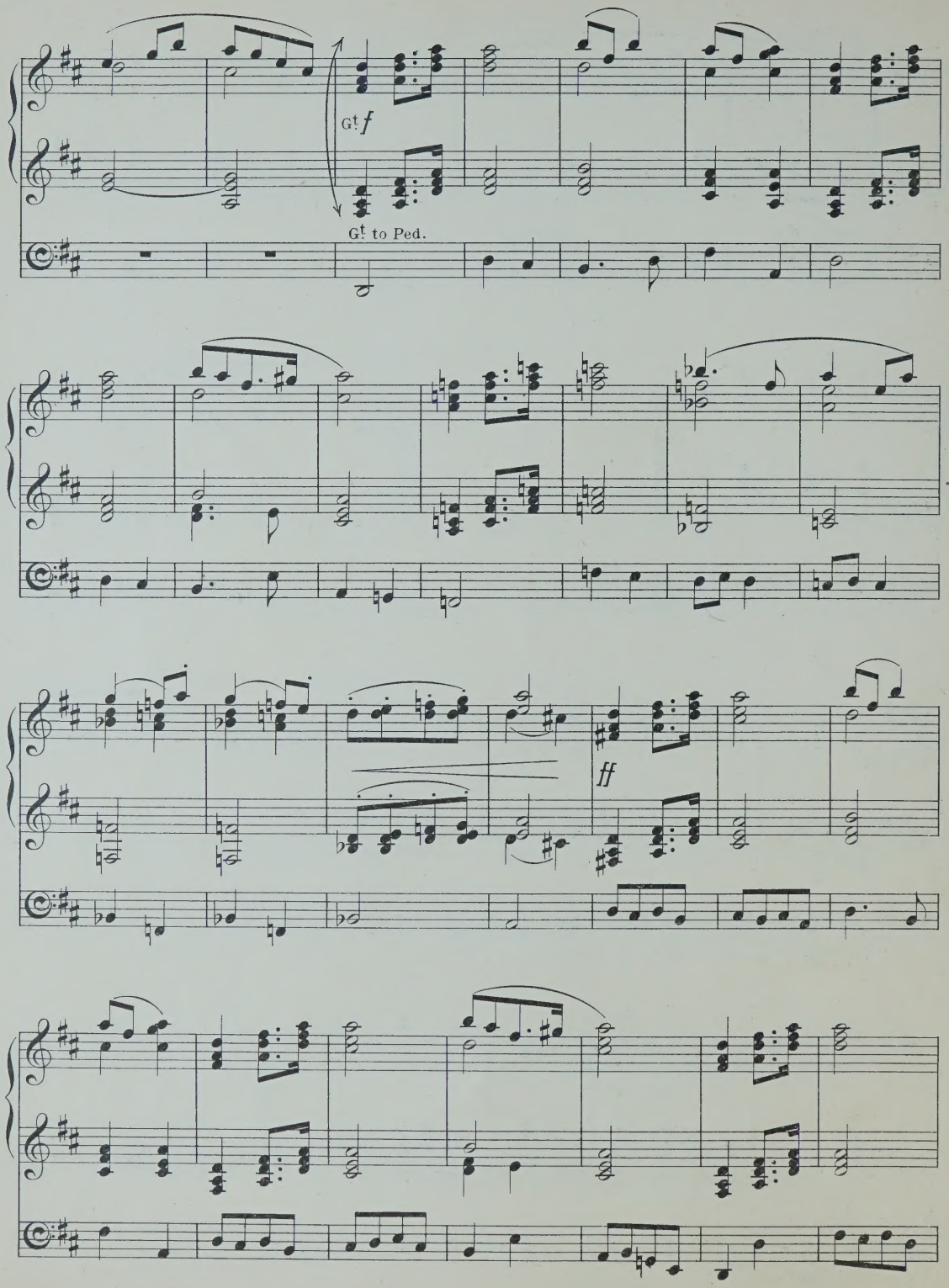
staccato


f
Full Sw.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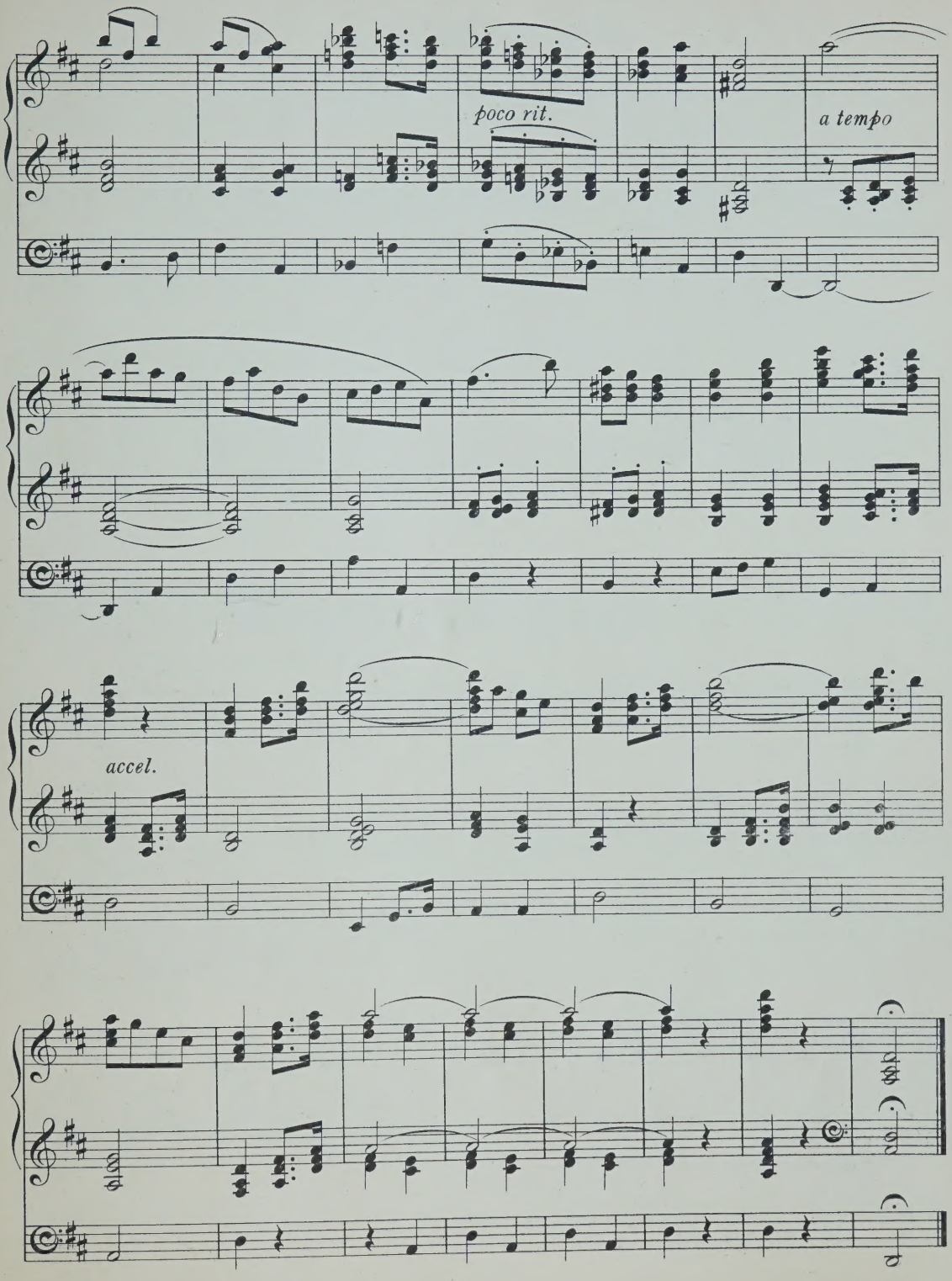
Gt to Ped.
ff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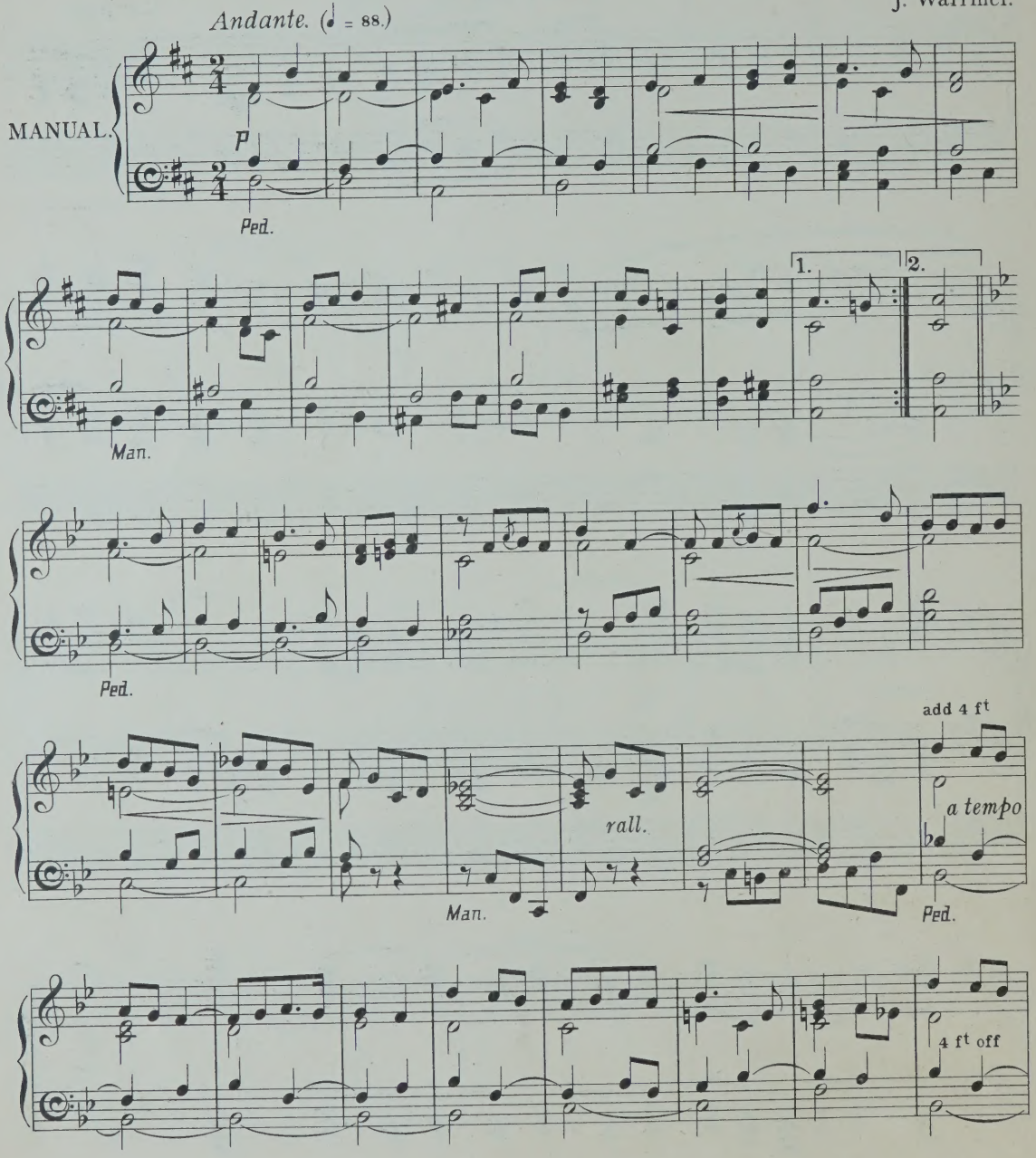
a tempo
accel.

Evening Song in D.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

J. Warriner.



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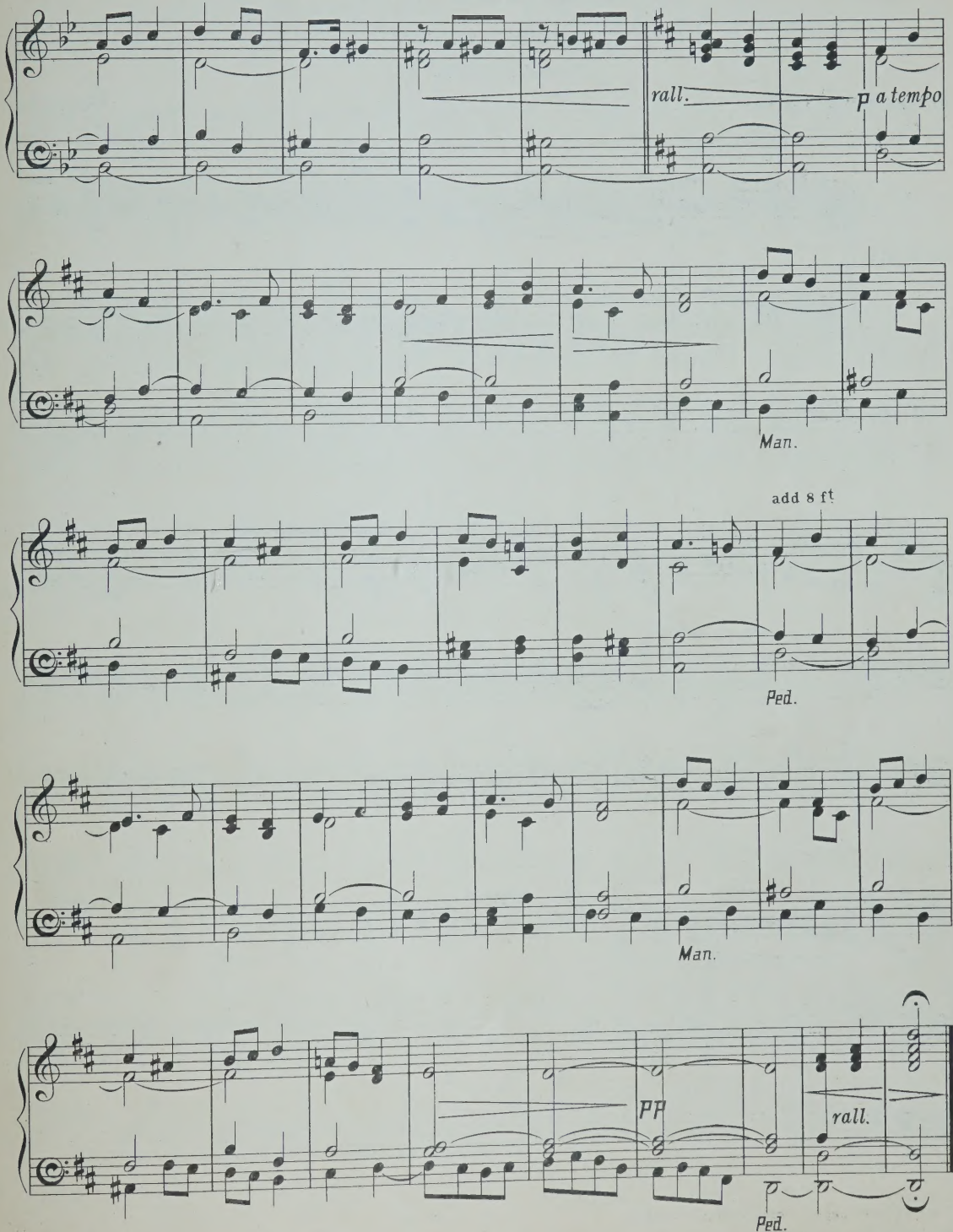
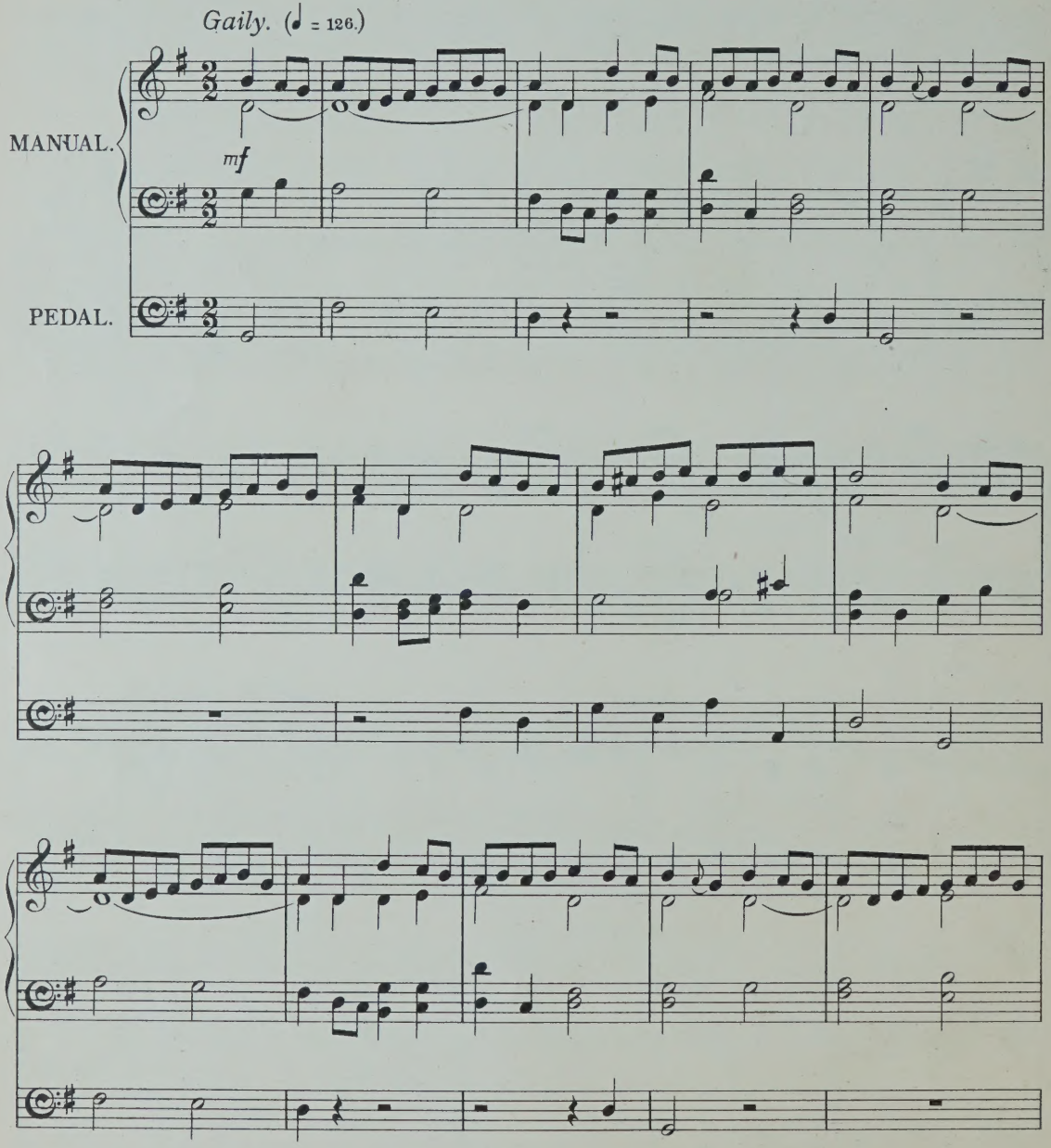

rall.
p a tempo
Man.
add 8 ft
Ped.
Man.
pp
rall.
Ped.

GAVOTTE in G.

"LA BOURBONNOISE."

(Concluding Voluntary.)

Arranged by F. C. W. Couperin.



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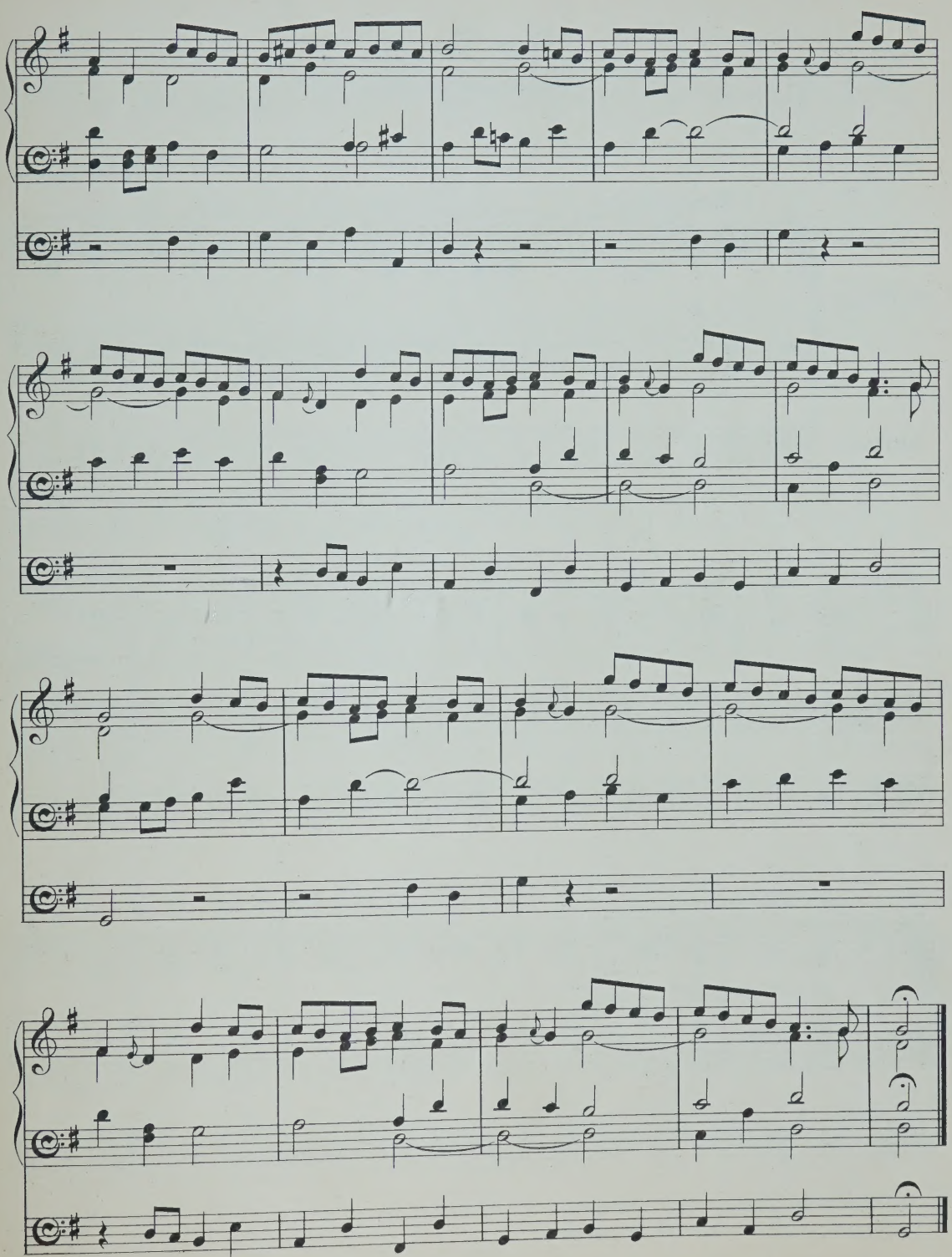
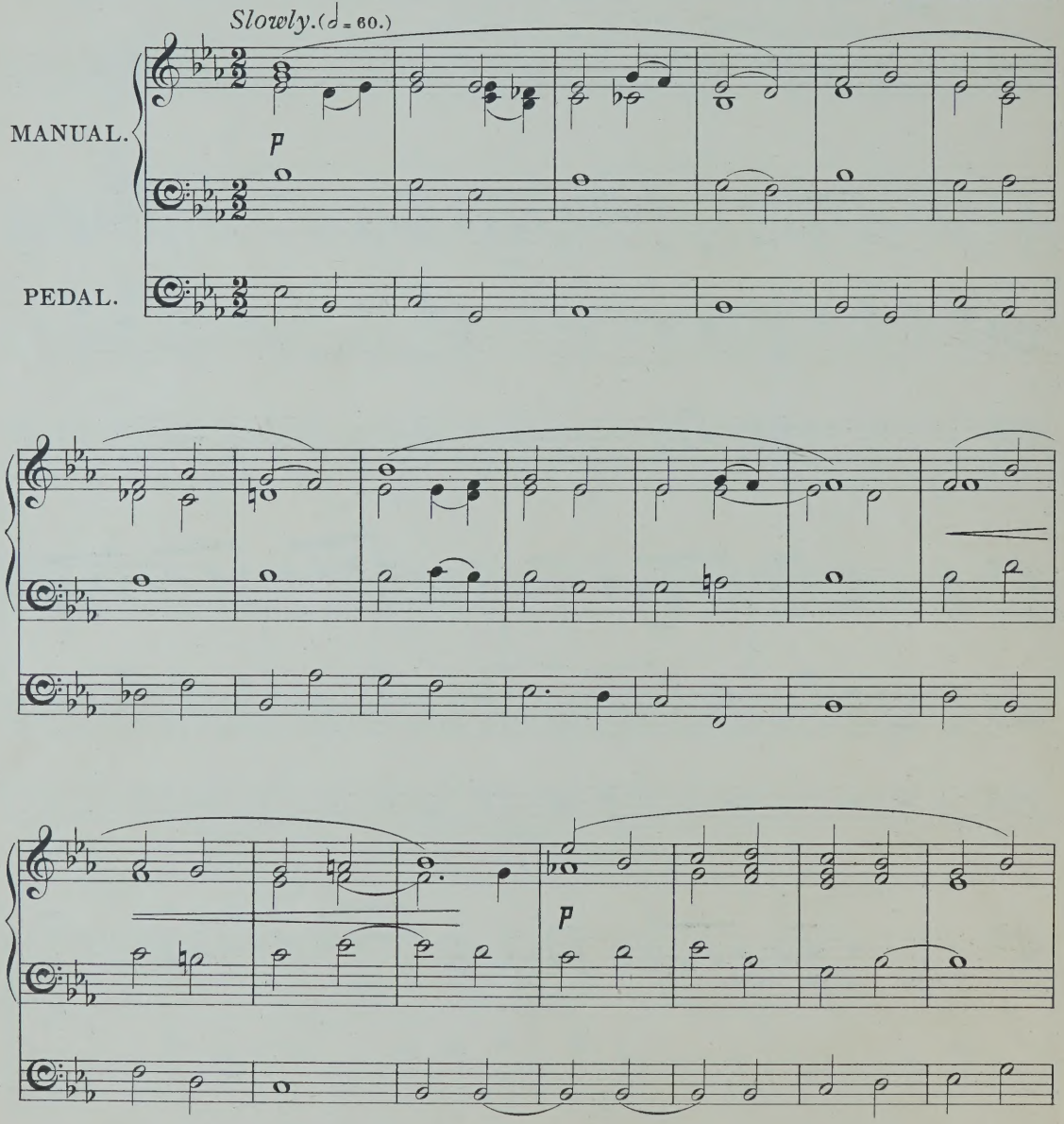


Ave Verum.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

F. A.W. Docker.



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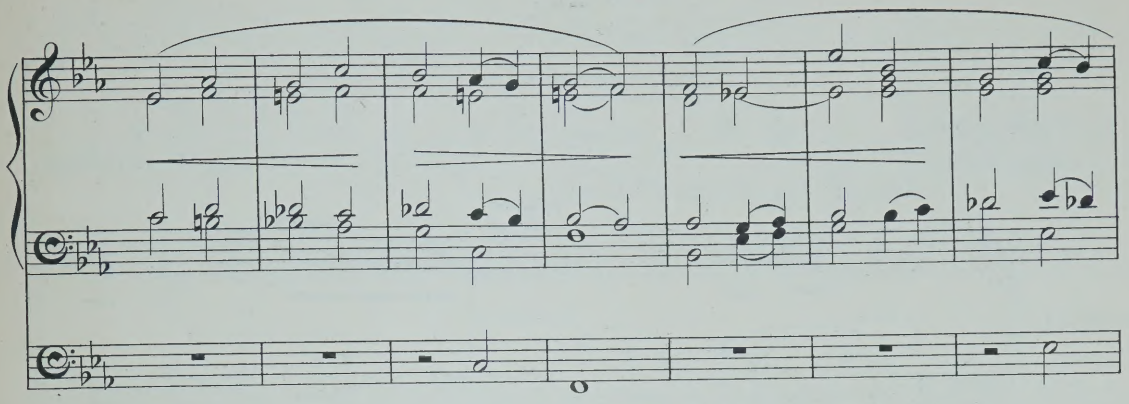

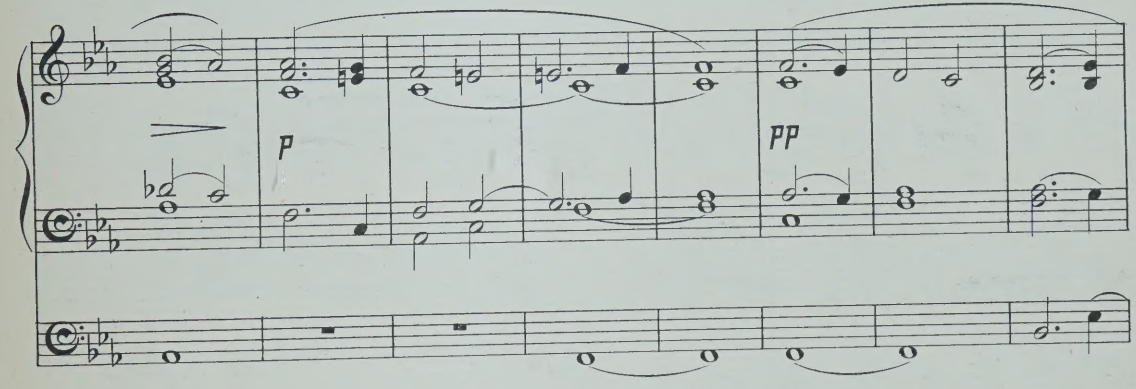
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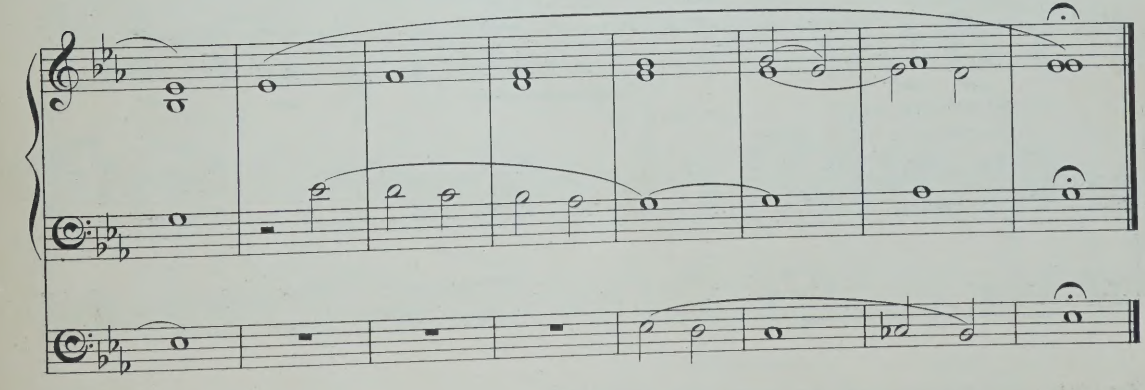
pp



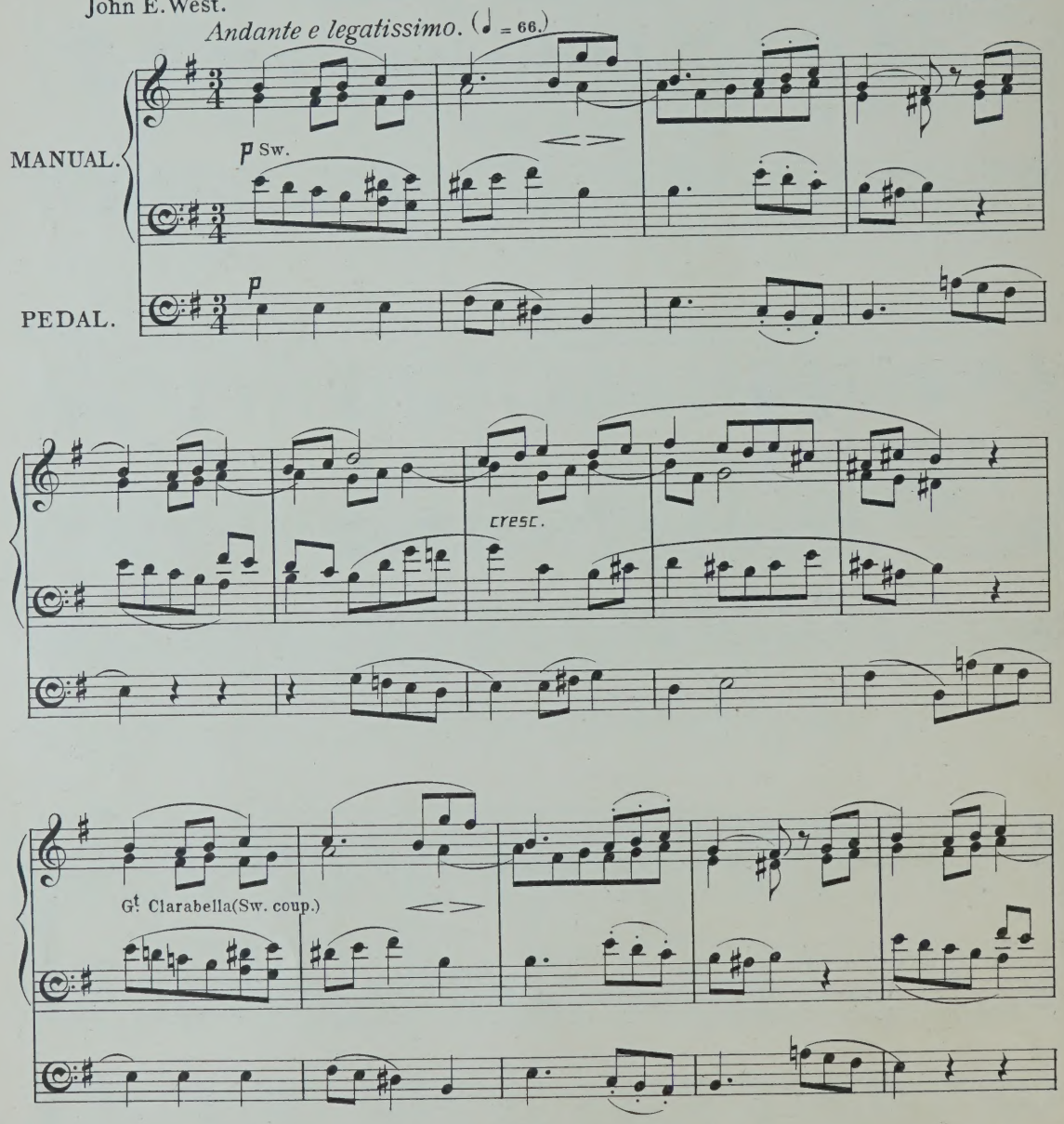
"Yearning."

Op. 7. No 6.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Arranged by
John E. West.

Mendelssohn.



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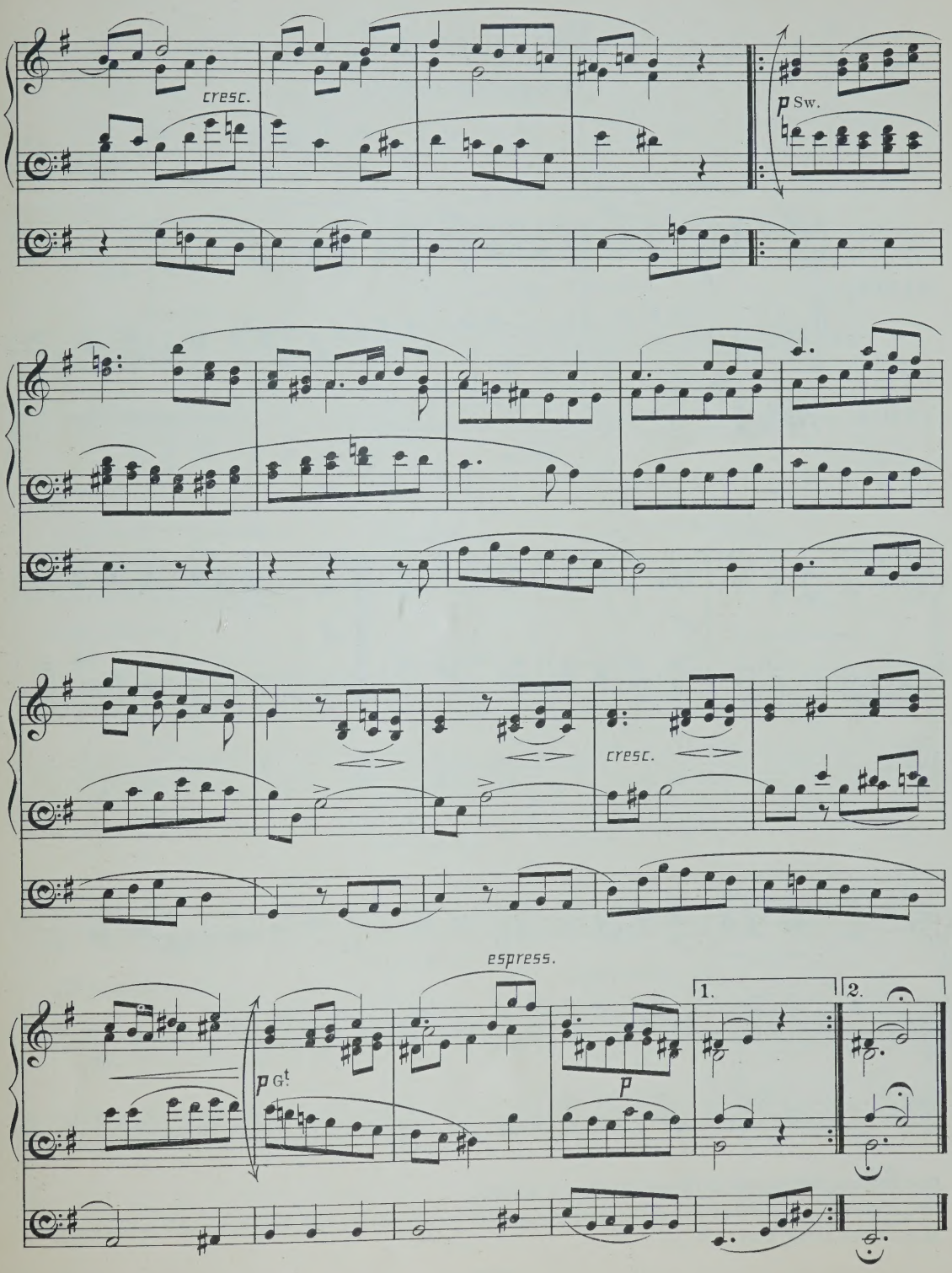
cresc.
p Sw.
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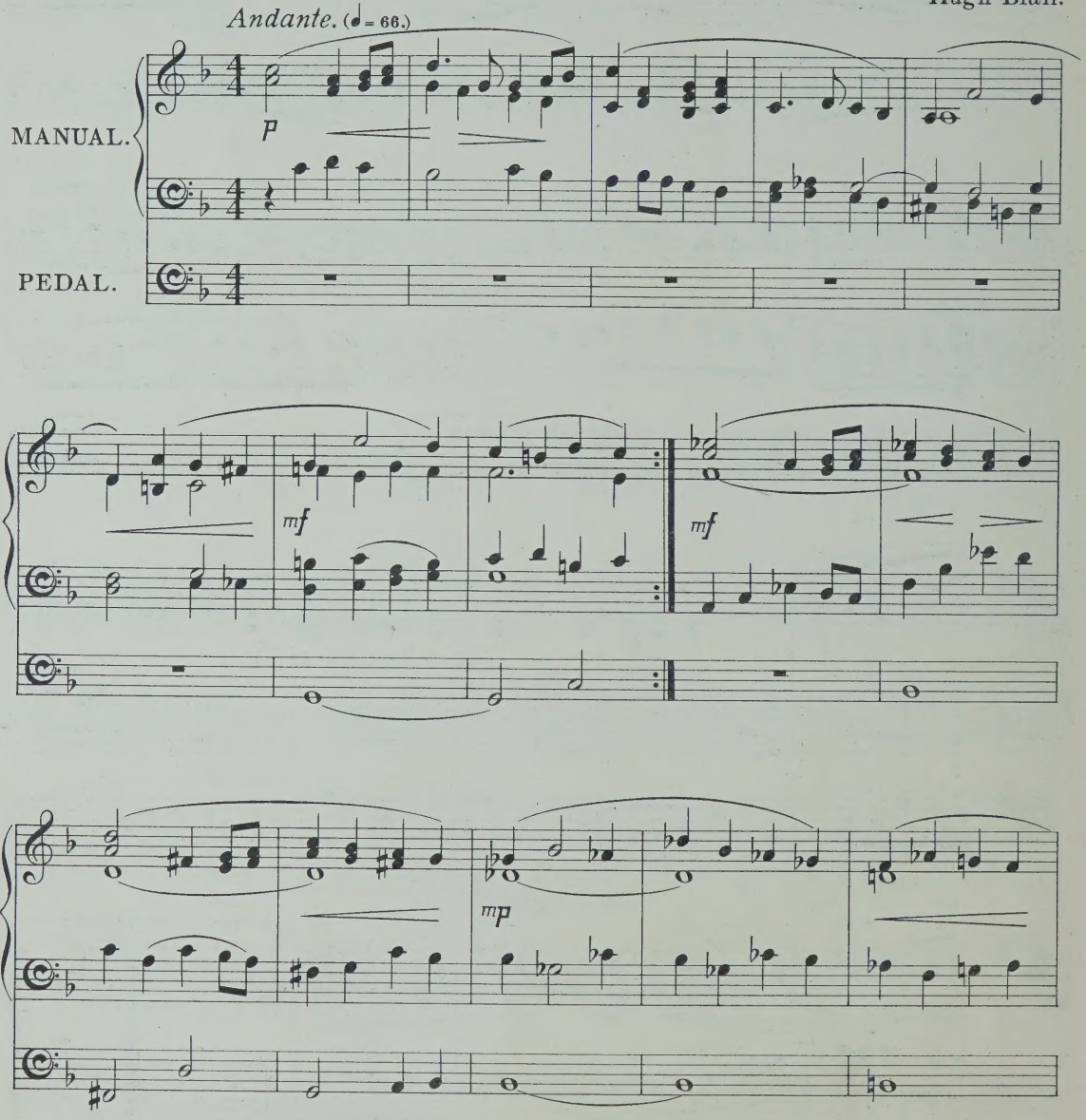
espress.
p Gt
p
1.
2.

Meditation in F.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Hugh Blair.



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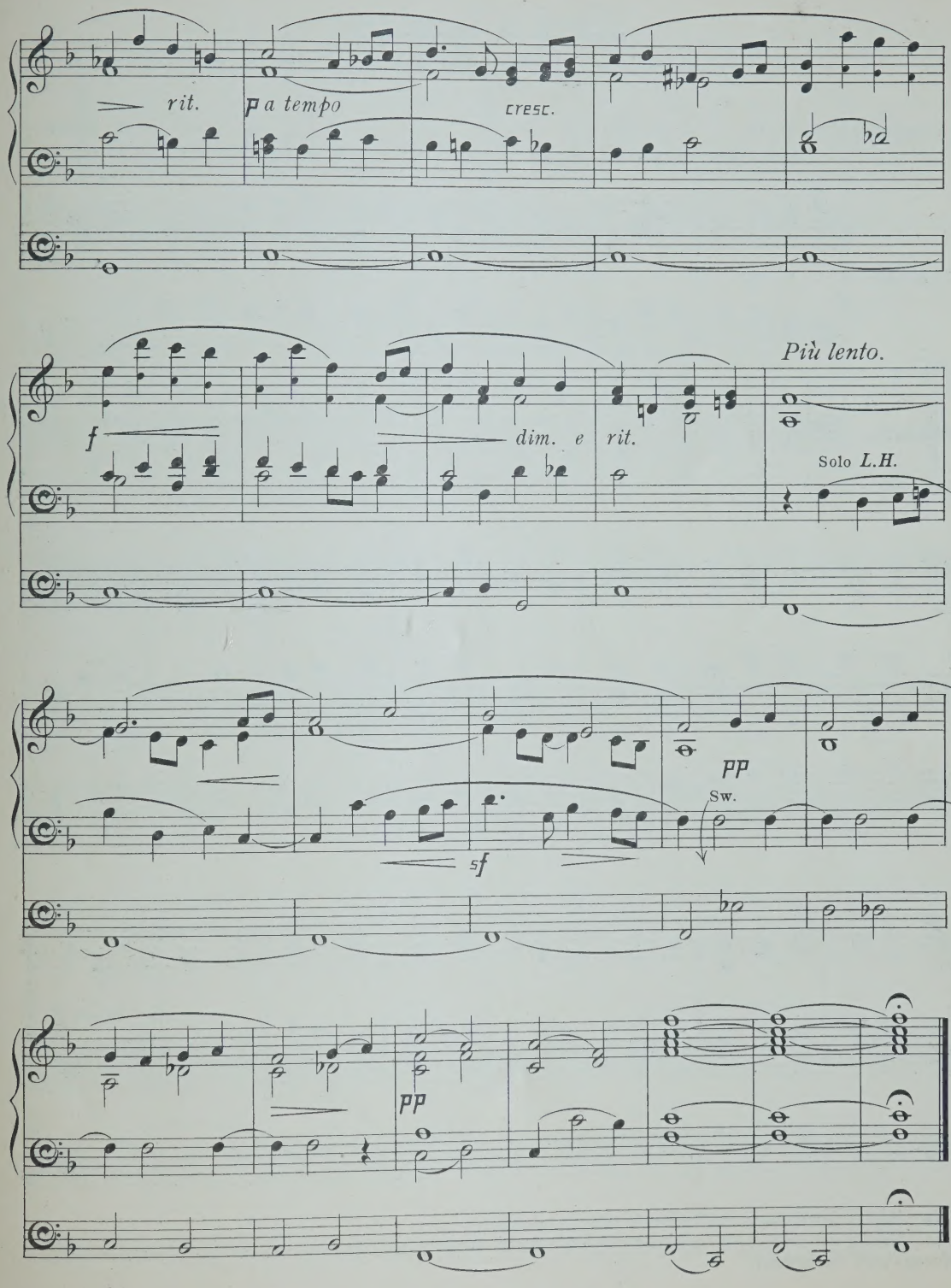
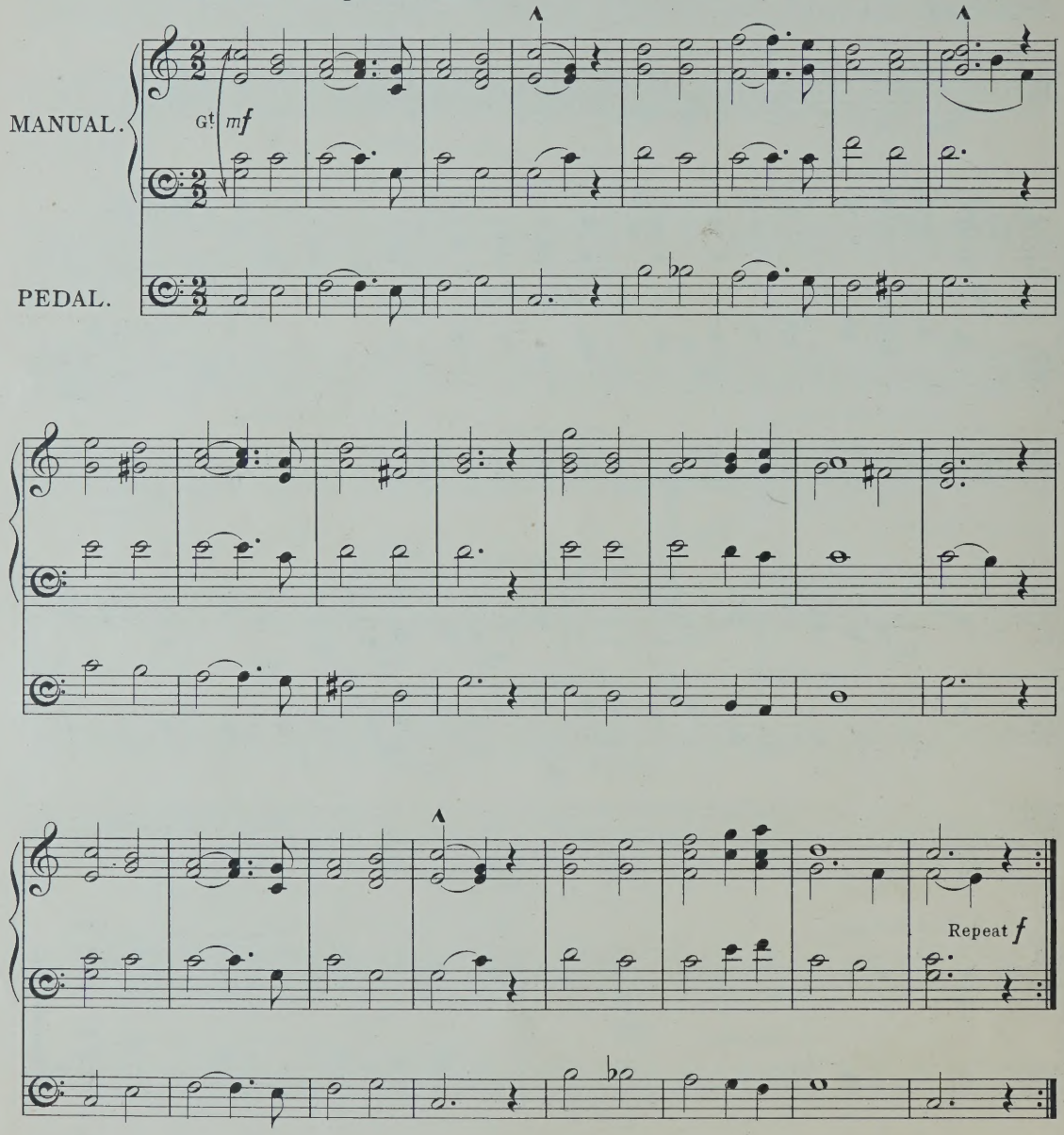

rit.
p a tempo
cresc.
f
dim. e rit.
Più lento.
Solo L.H.
pp
Sw.
sf
pp

March of Israelites.

FROM "ELI."

Arranged by F. C. W. M. Costa.

Marziale religioso. (♩=88.)



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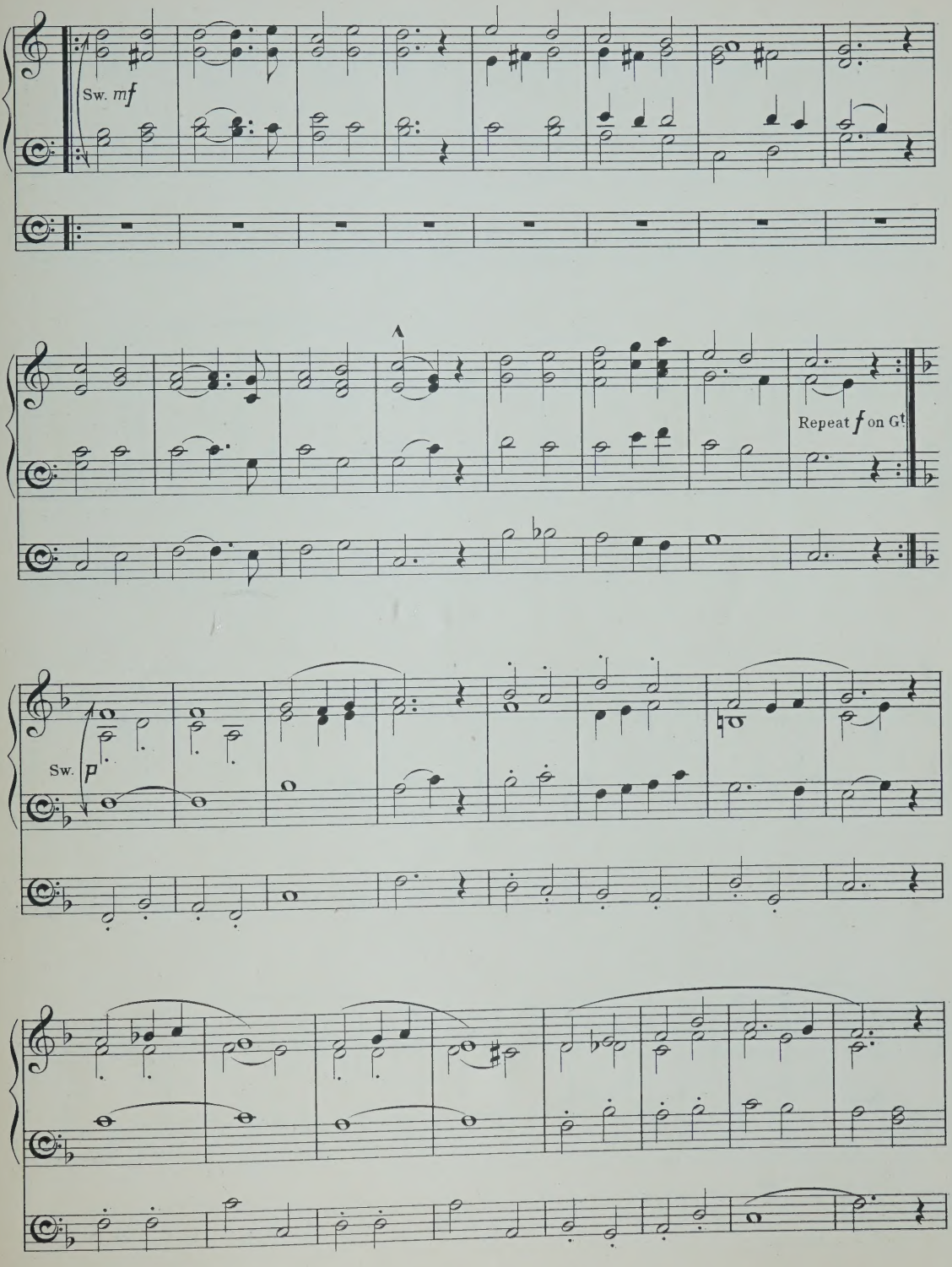
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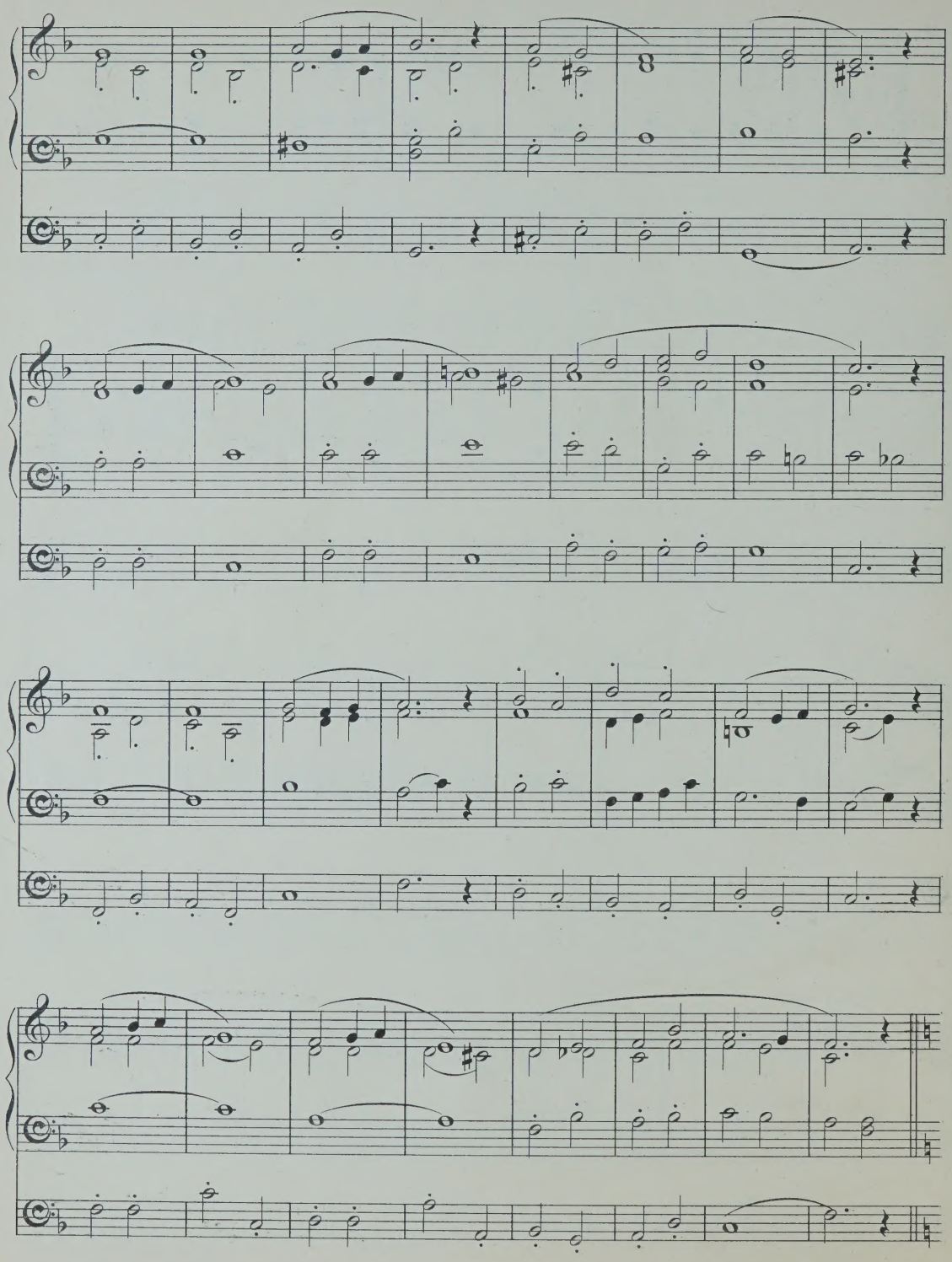
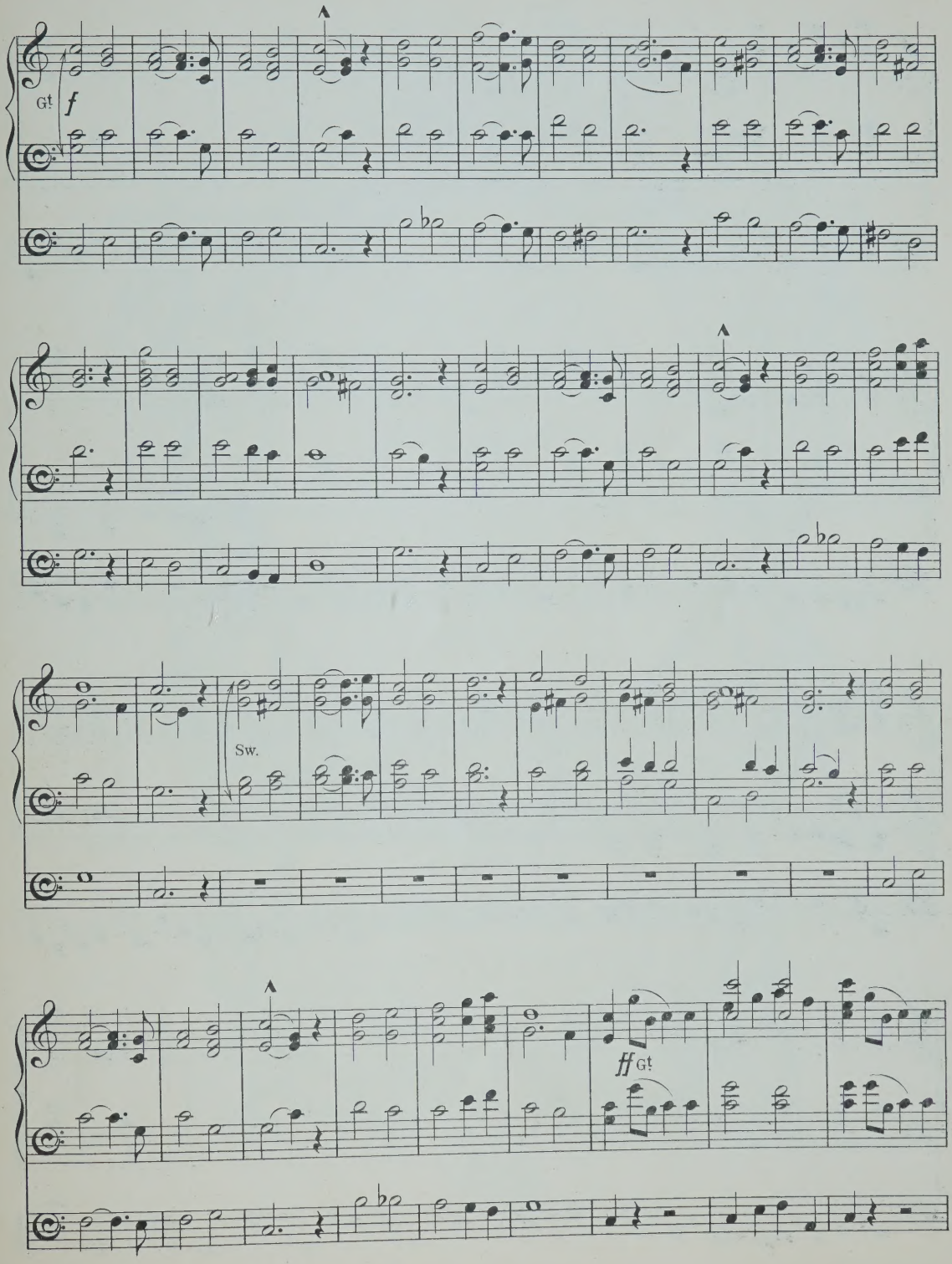
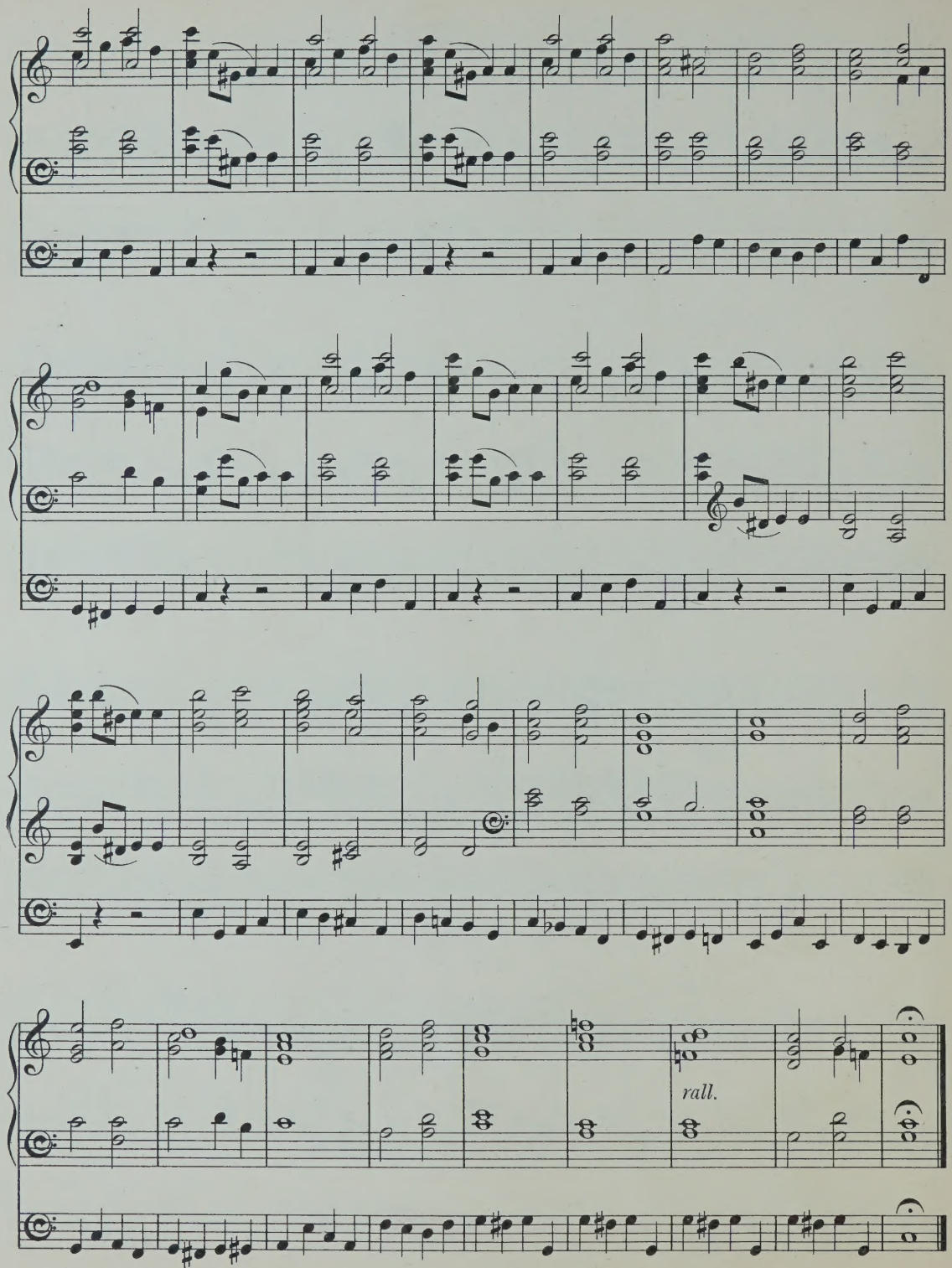
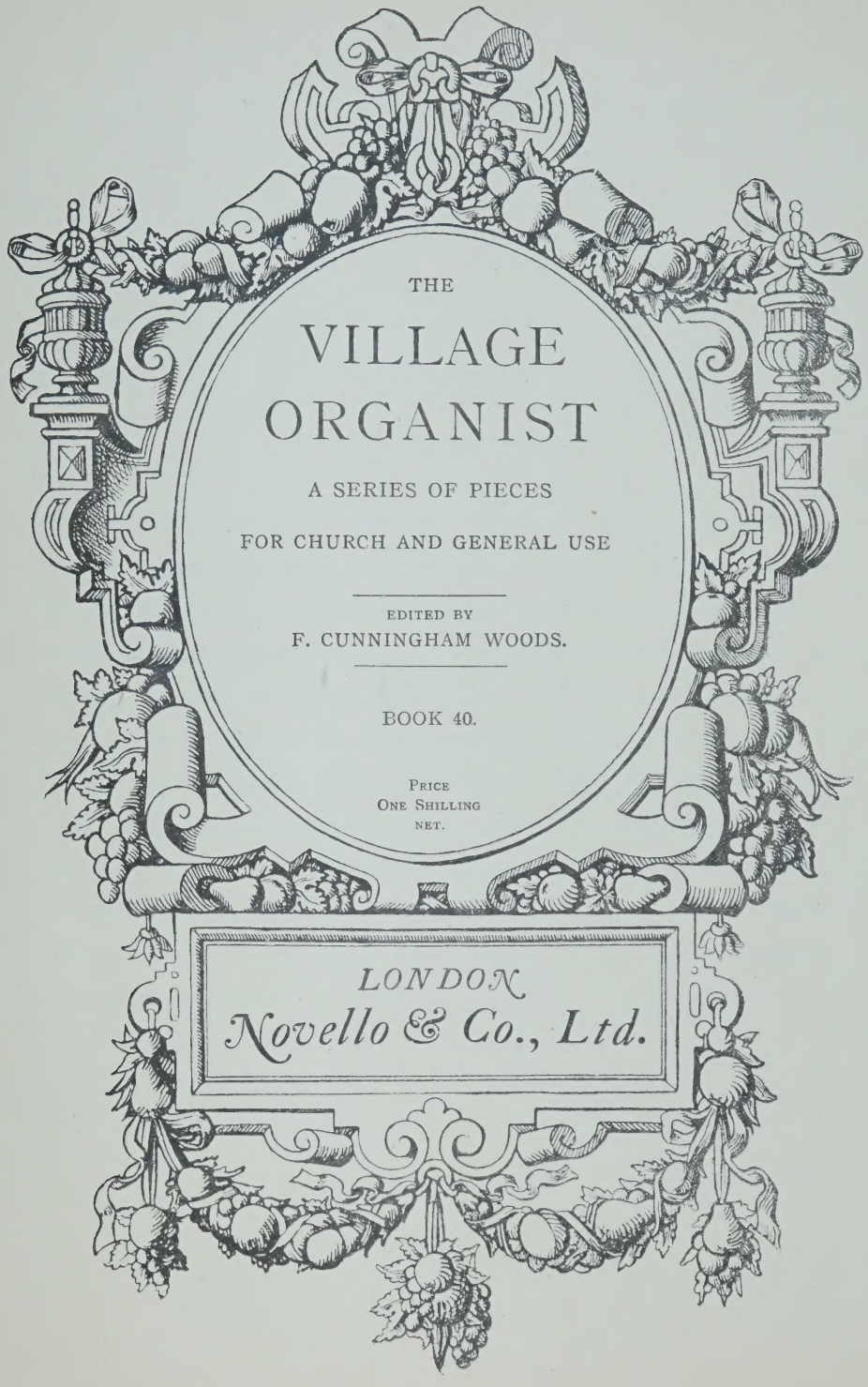
A
Repeat f on Gt
Sw. p




Gt
f
Sw.
ff Gt


rall.



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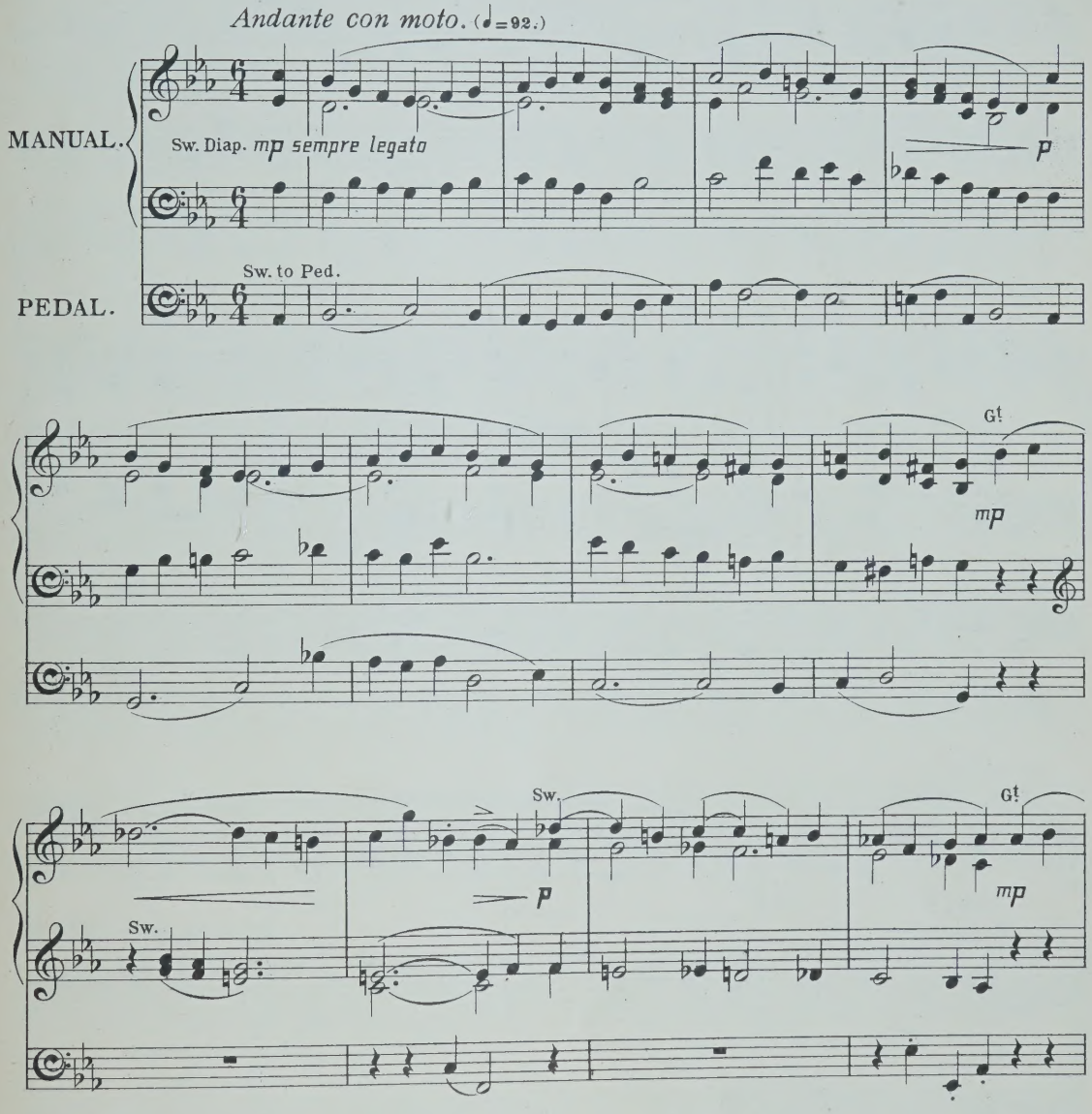
Præludium.

A. Herbert Brewer.



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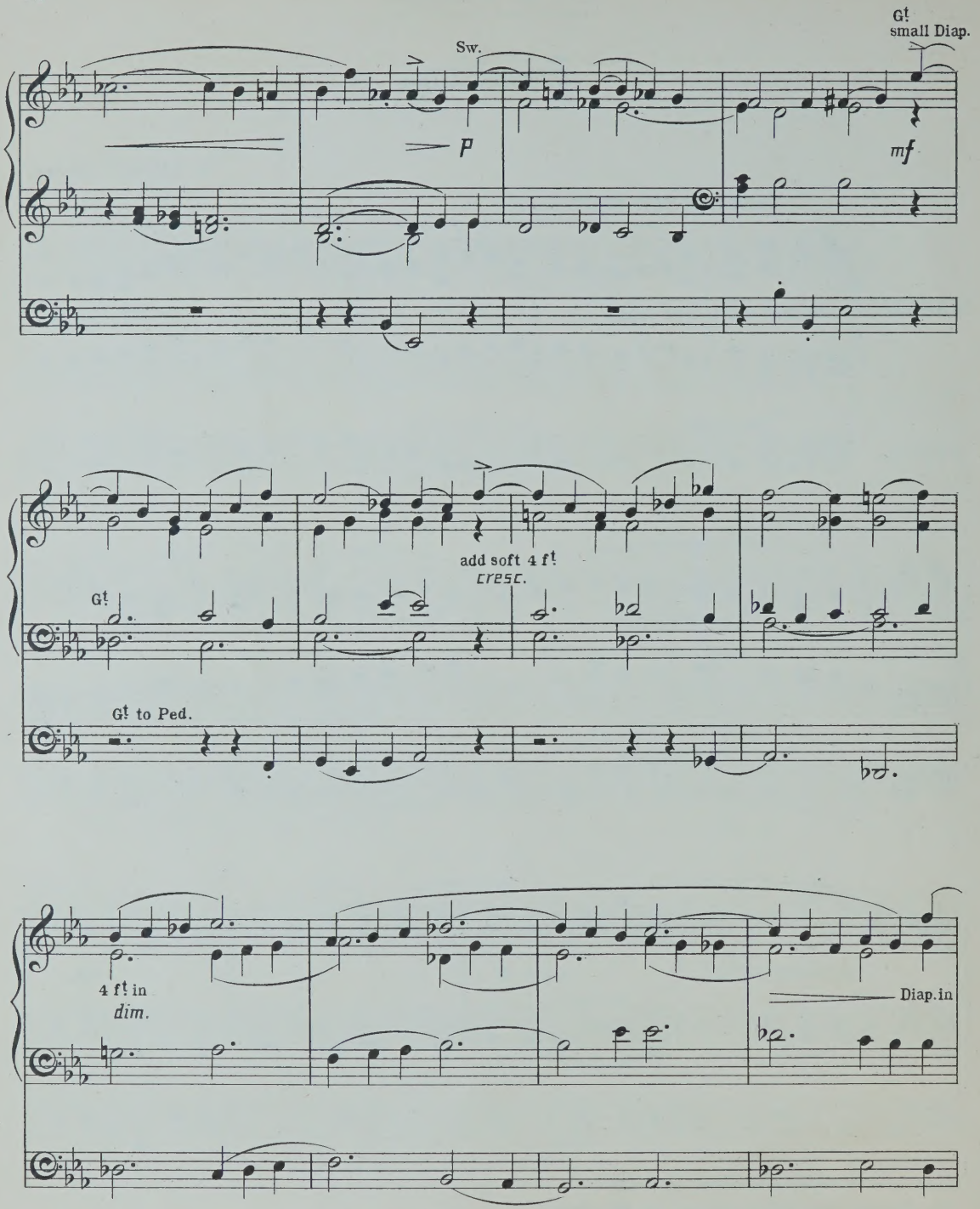
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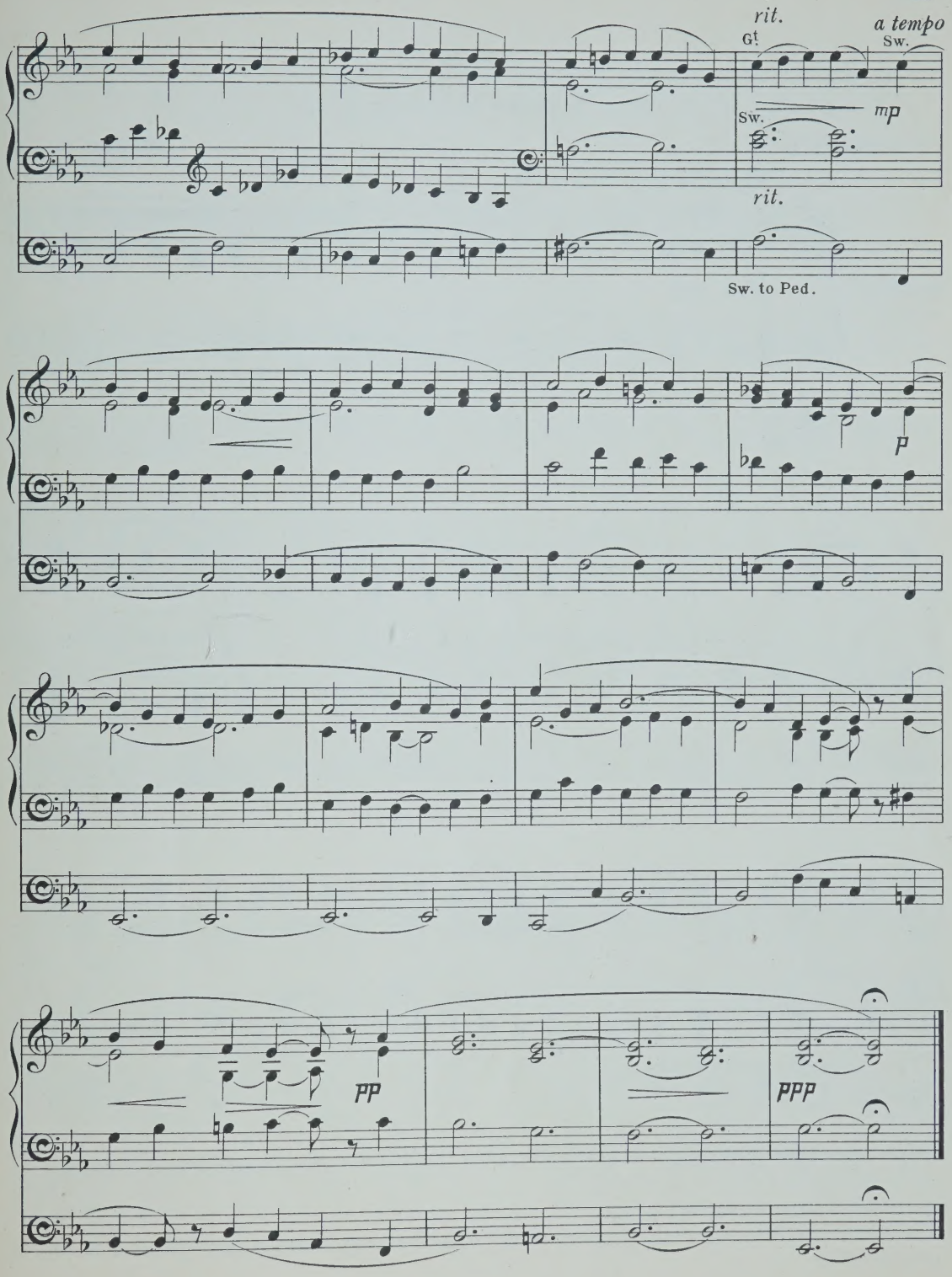
Sw.
p
mf
add soft 4 ft
cresc.
Gt
Gt to Ped.
4 ft in
dim.
Diap.in


rit.
a tempo
G!
Sw.
Sw.
mp
rit.
Sw. to Ped.
p
pp
ppp

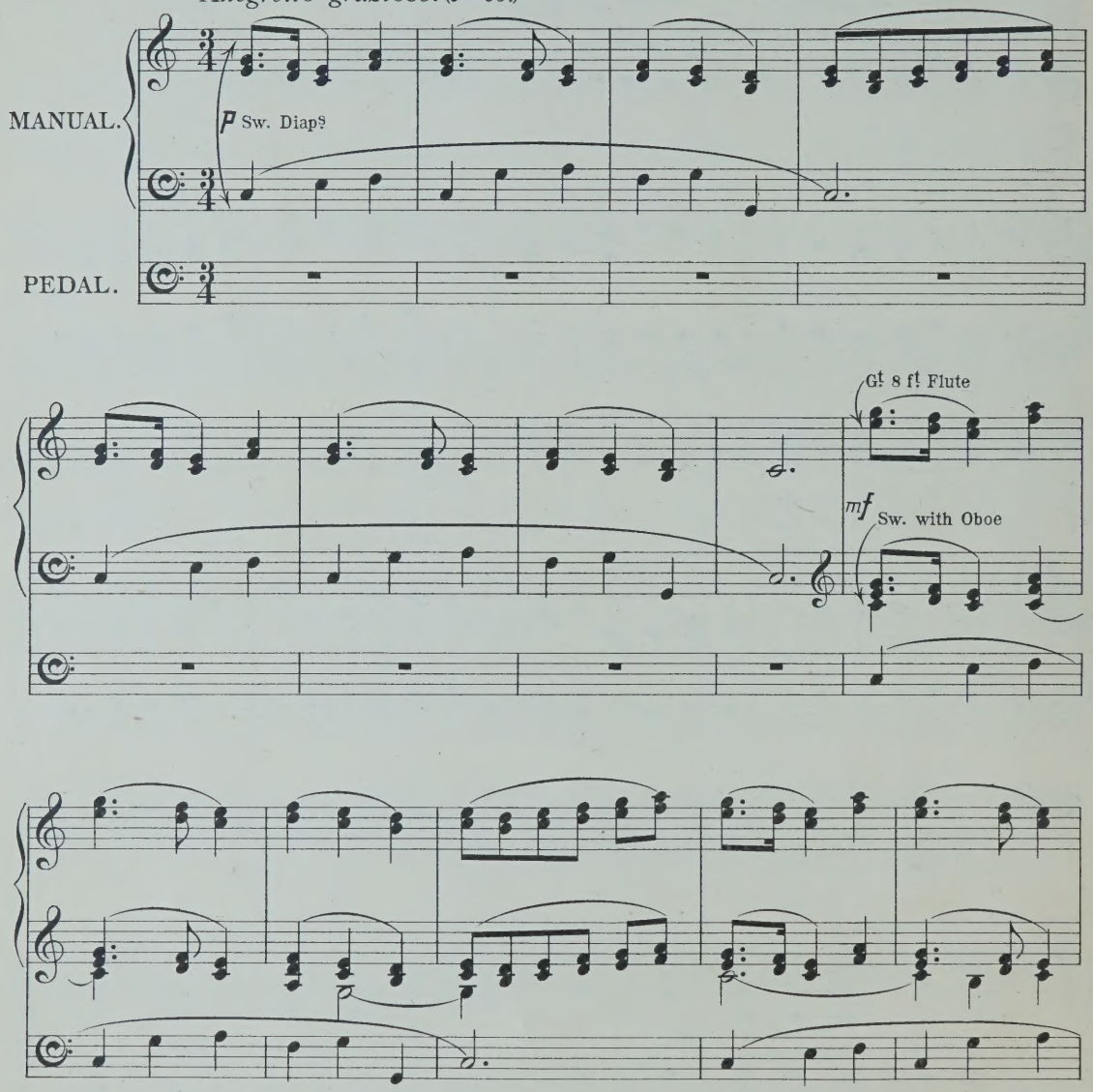
Air.*

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Arranged by J. W.

William Felton.
(1713-1769.)

Allegretto grazioso. (♩ = 96.)



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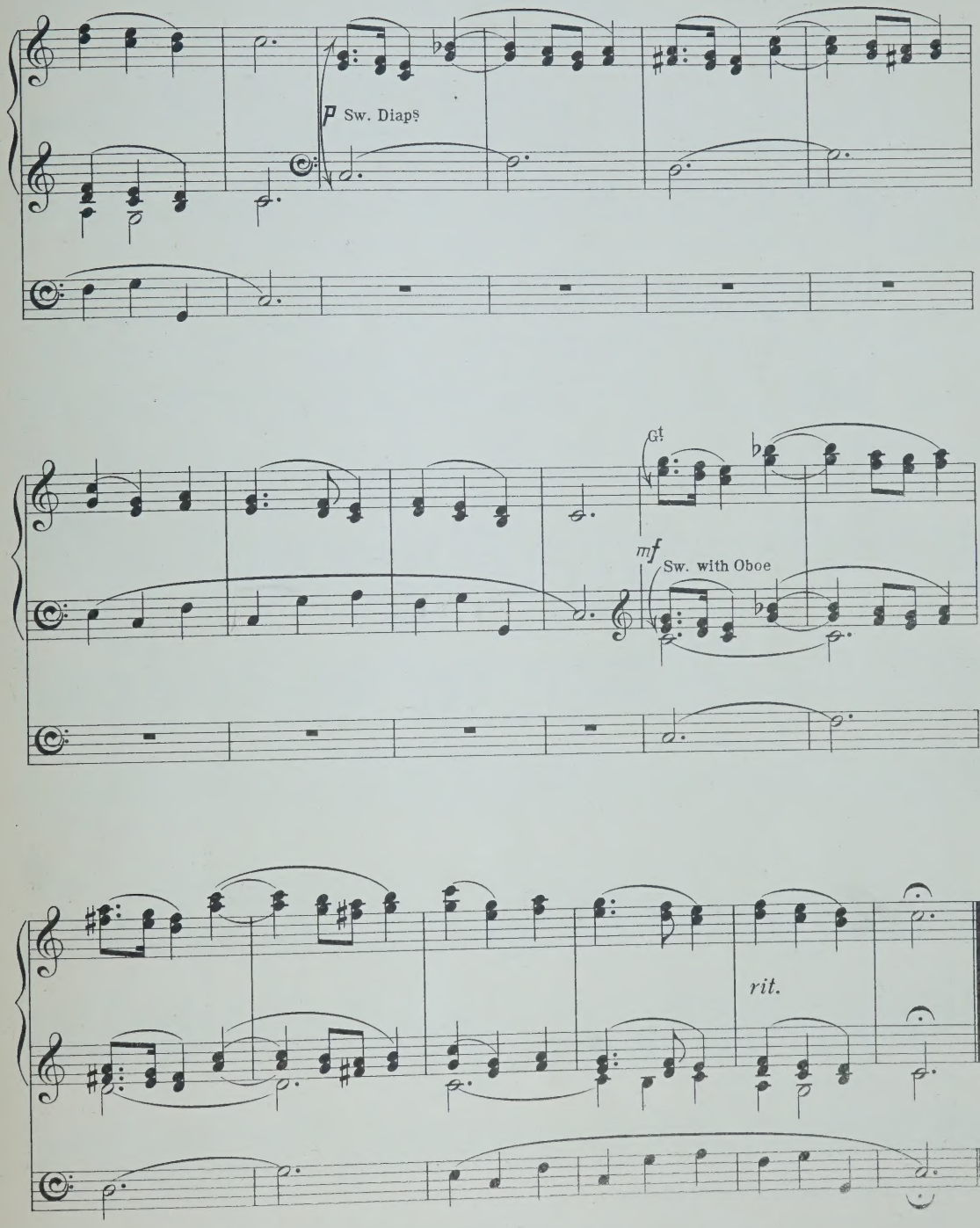
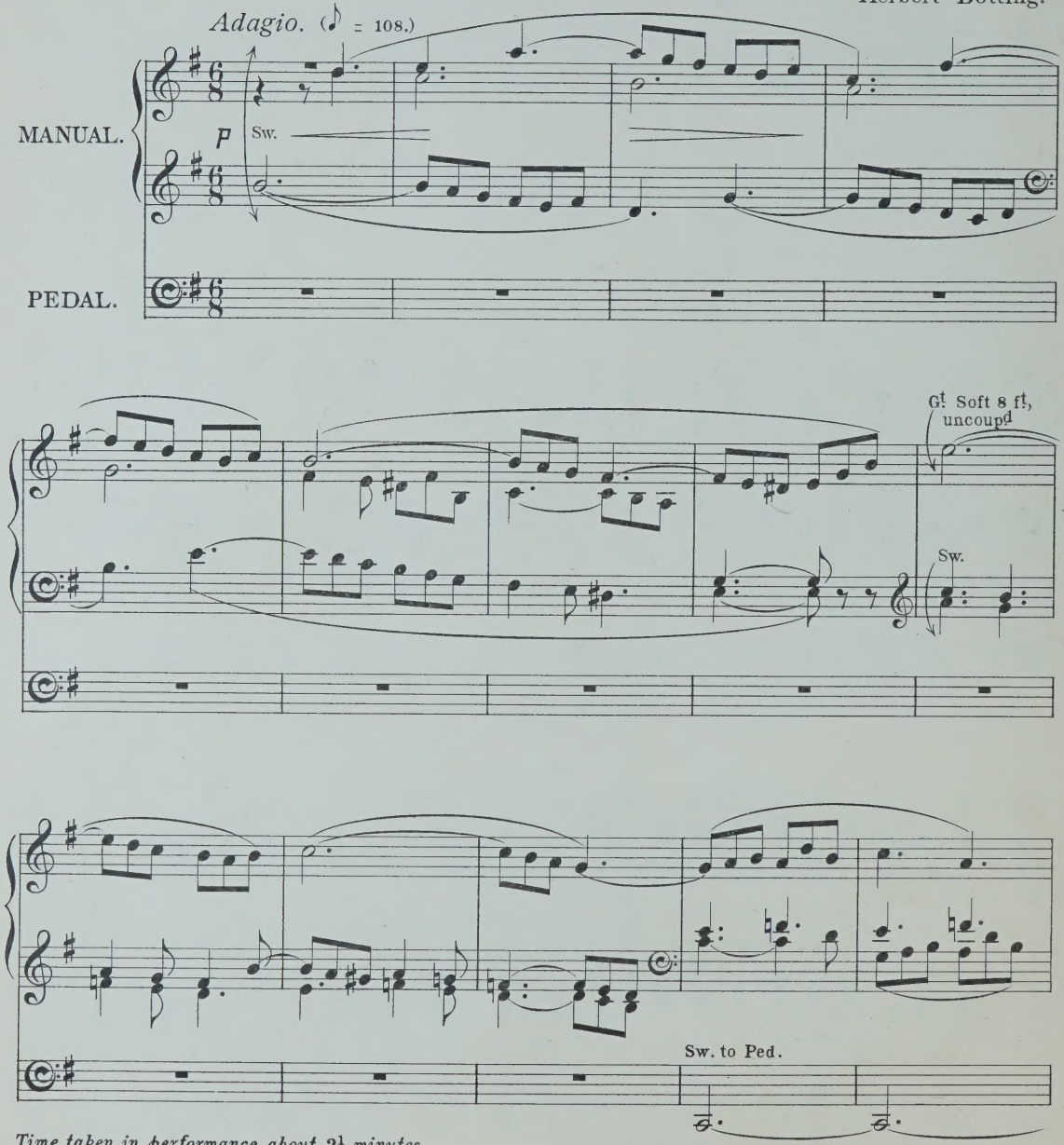

p Sw. Diaps
mf Sw. with Oboe
rit.

Rêverie in G.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Herbert Botting.



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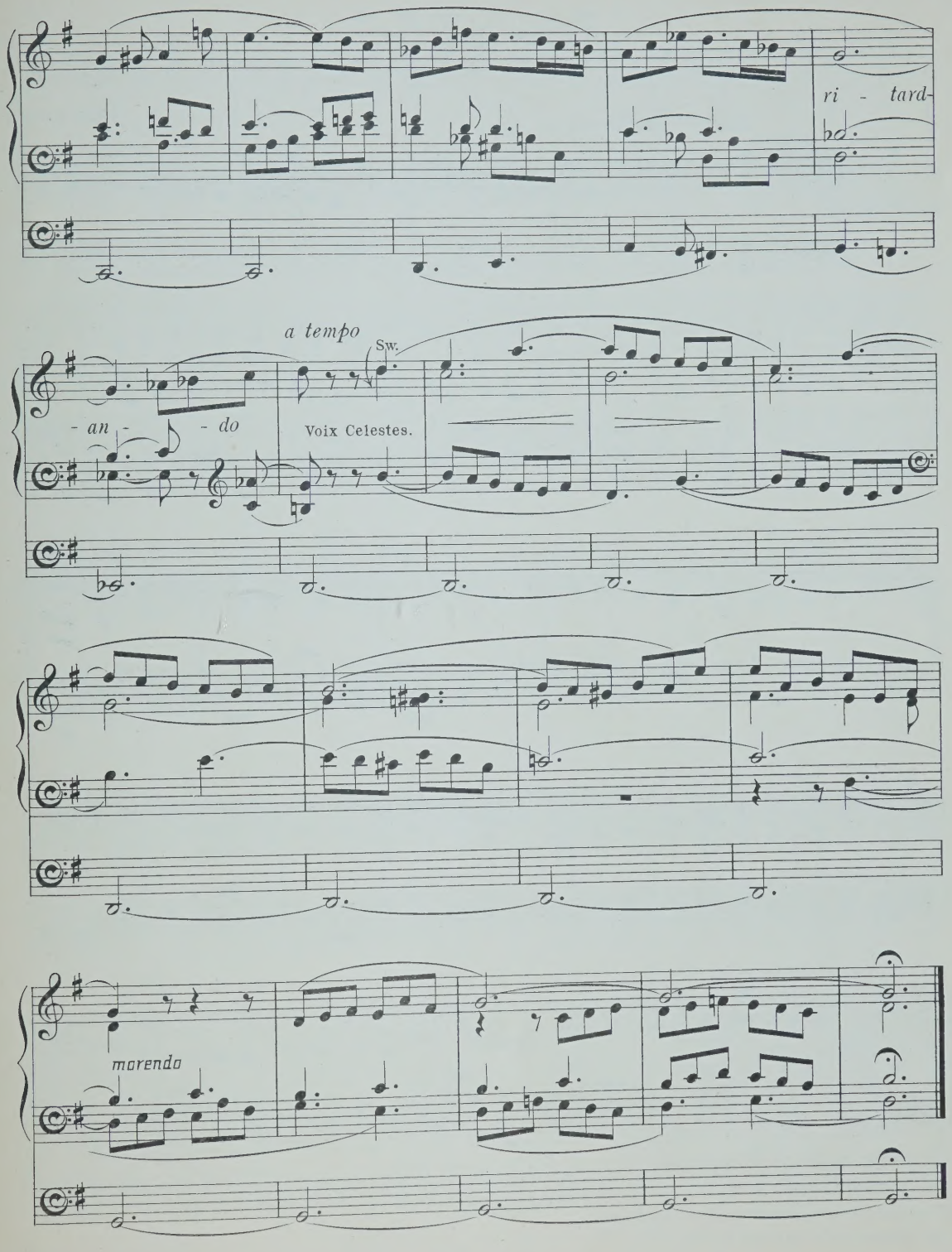
ri - tard-
a tempo
Sw.
- an - - do
Voix Celestes.
morendo

Fugue in E flat.*

Allegro moderato. (♩ = 138.)

John Goss.

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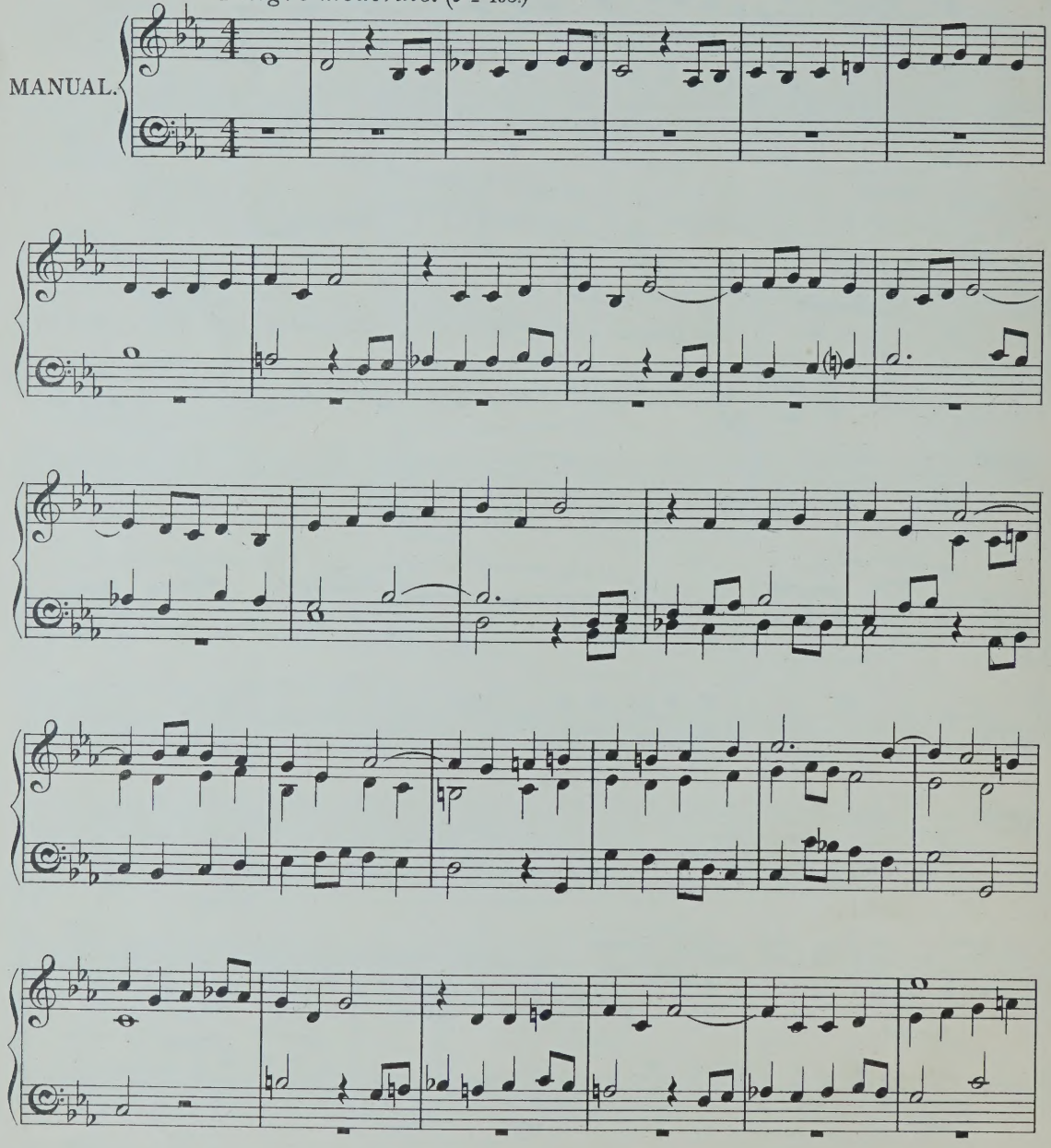

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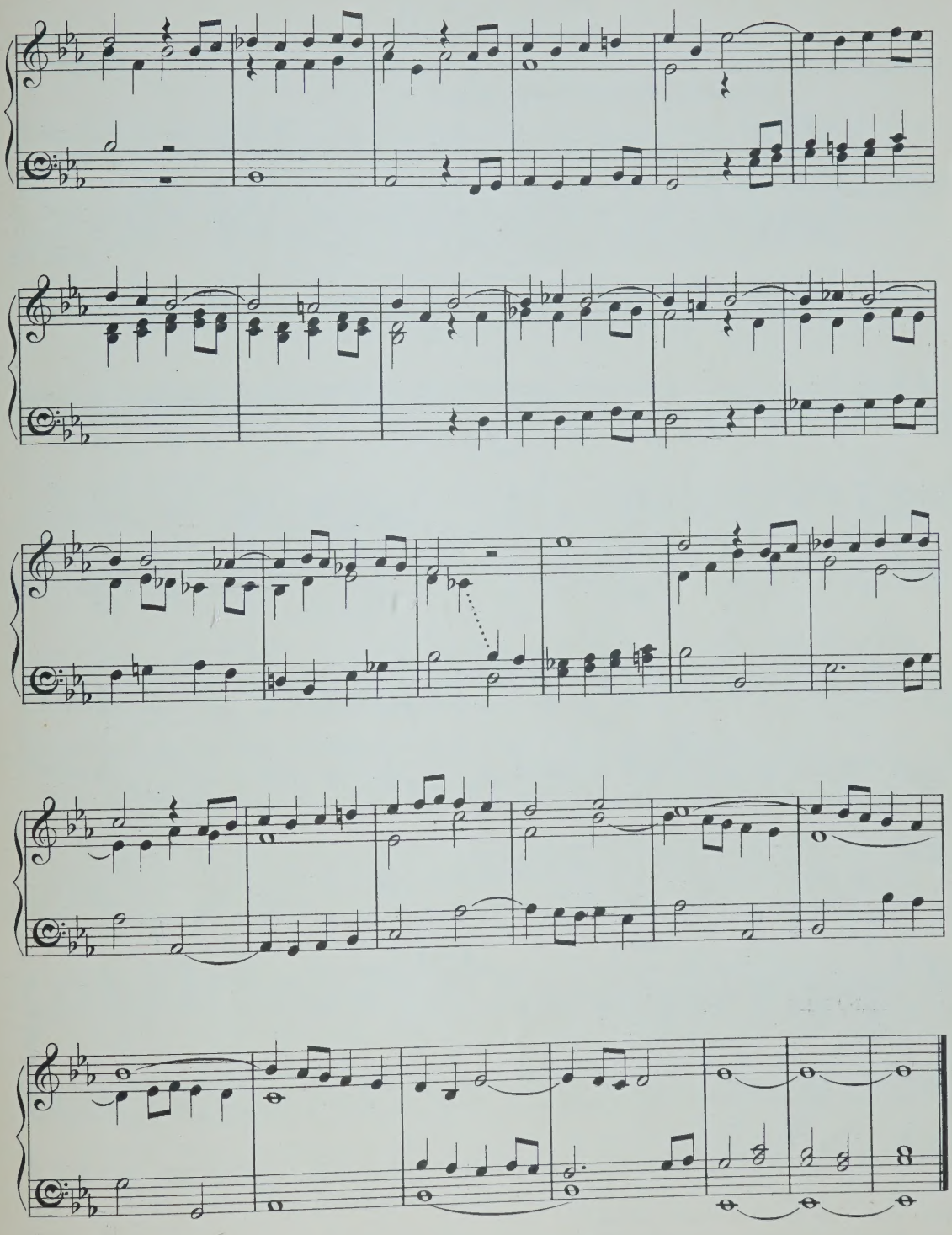


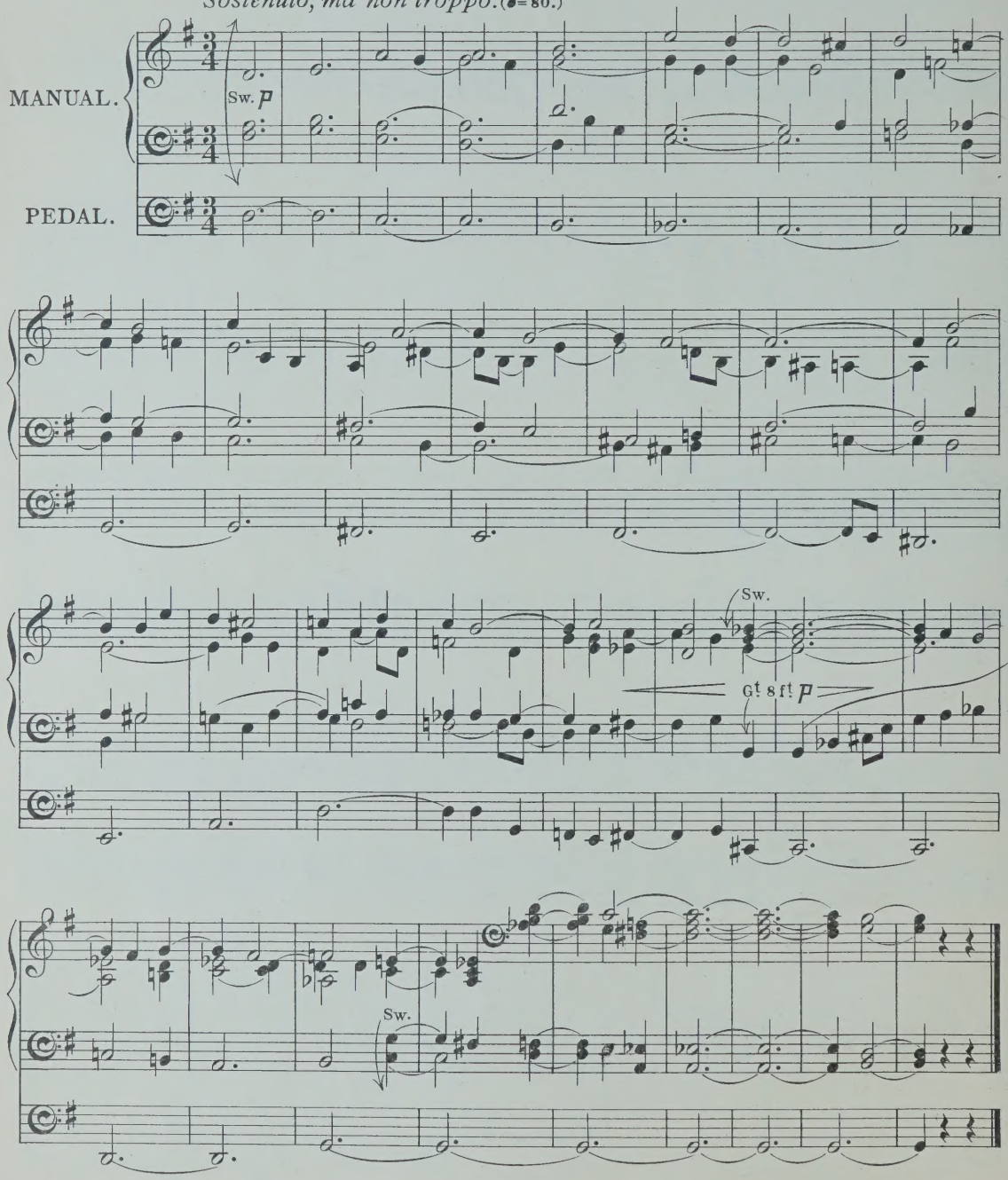
Præludium

FROM MASS in D

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Arranged by W. H. B. Beethoven.

Sostenuto, ma non troppo. (♩= 80.)



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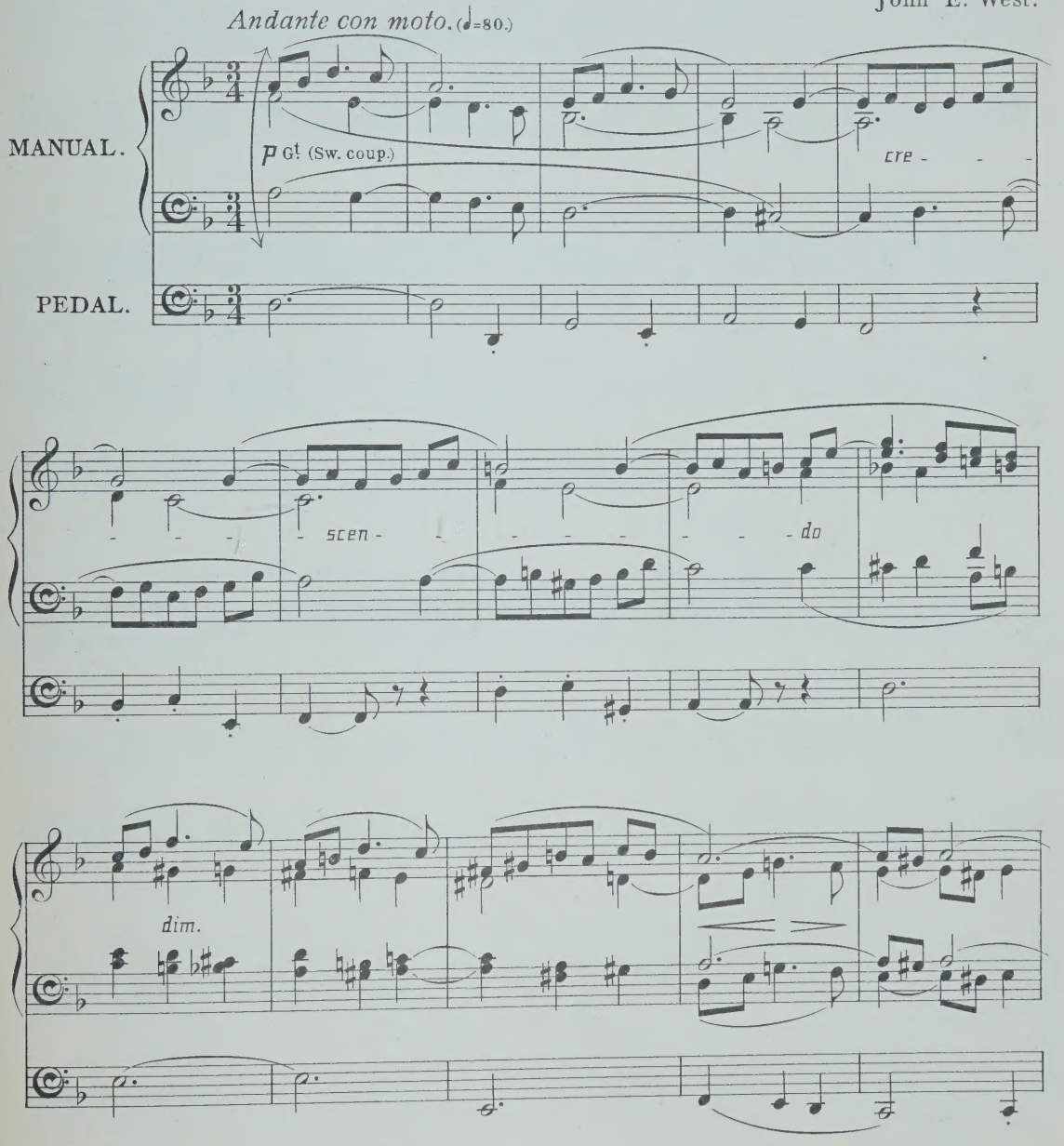
A Lament.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

John E. West.



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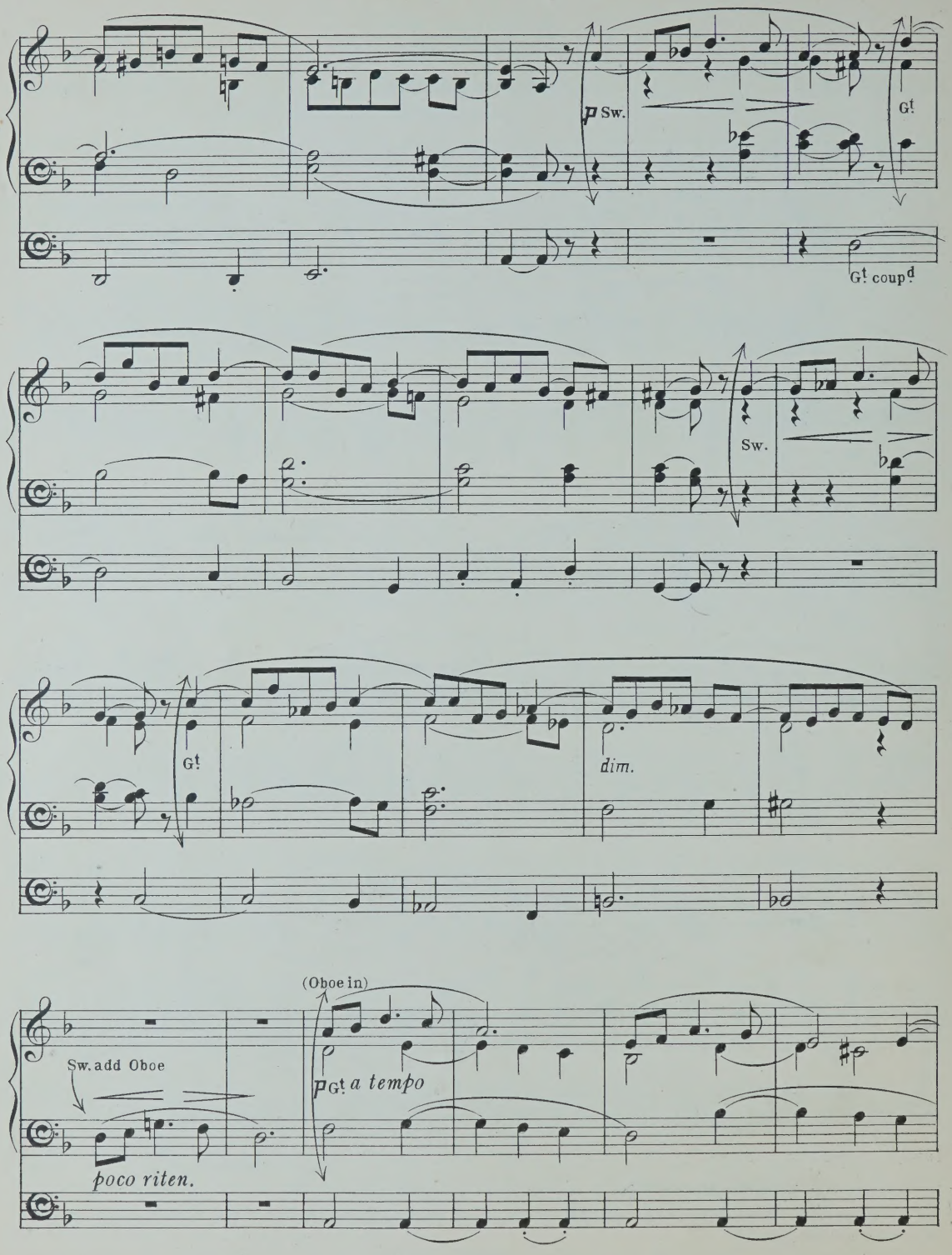
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(Oboe in)
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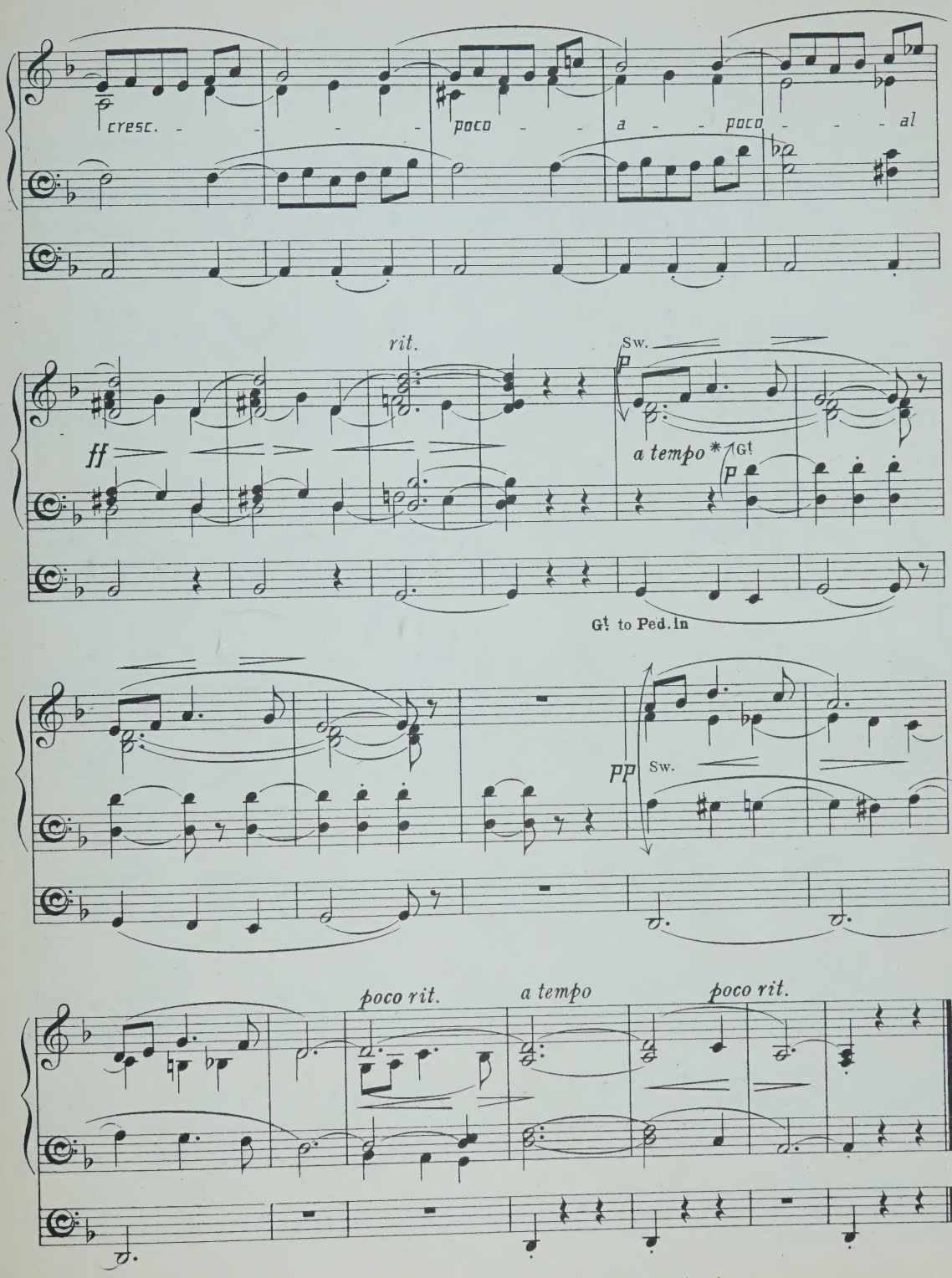
pGt a tempo
poco riten.



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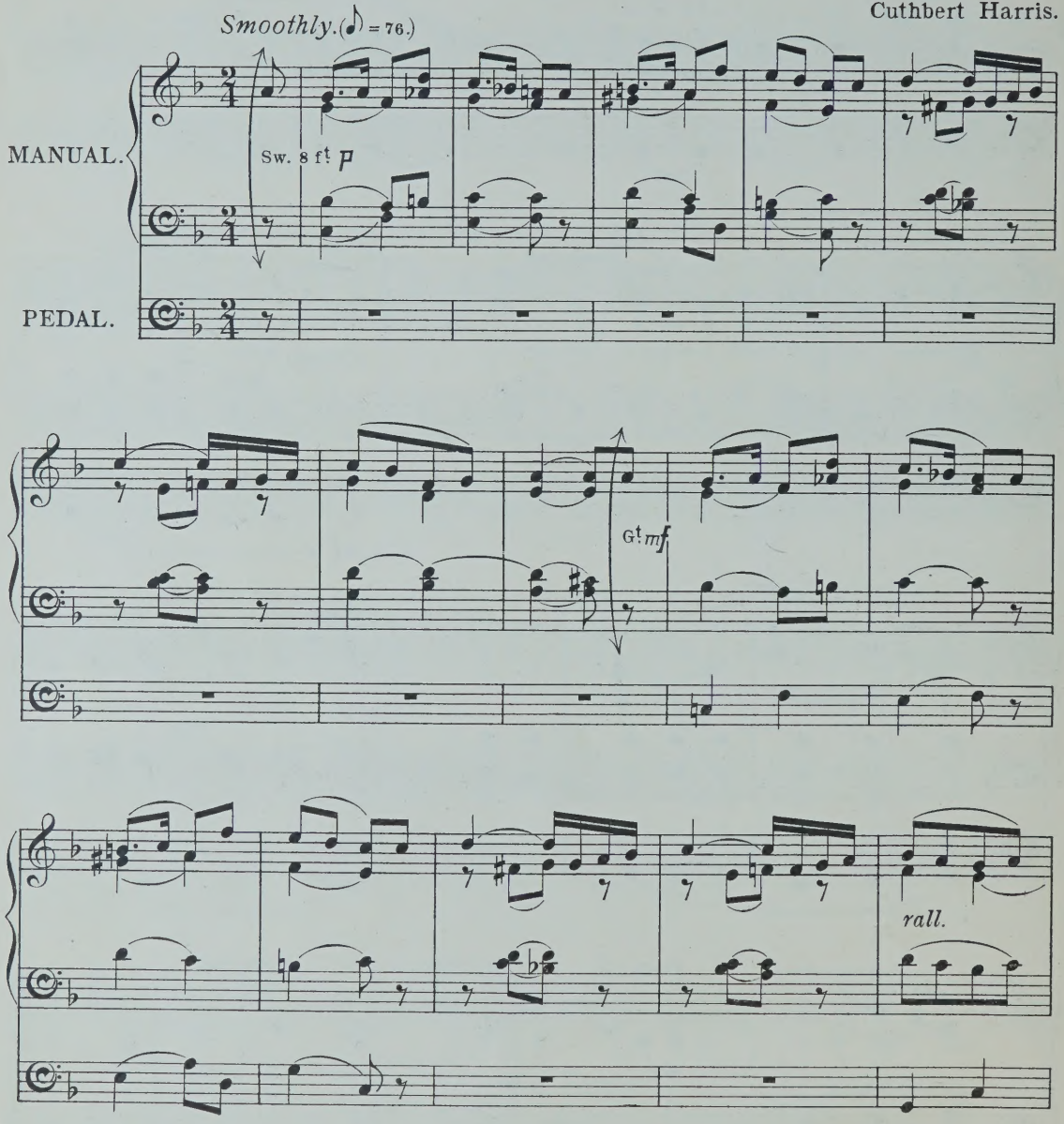
Andante sostenuto in F.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Cuthbert Harris.



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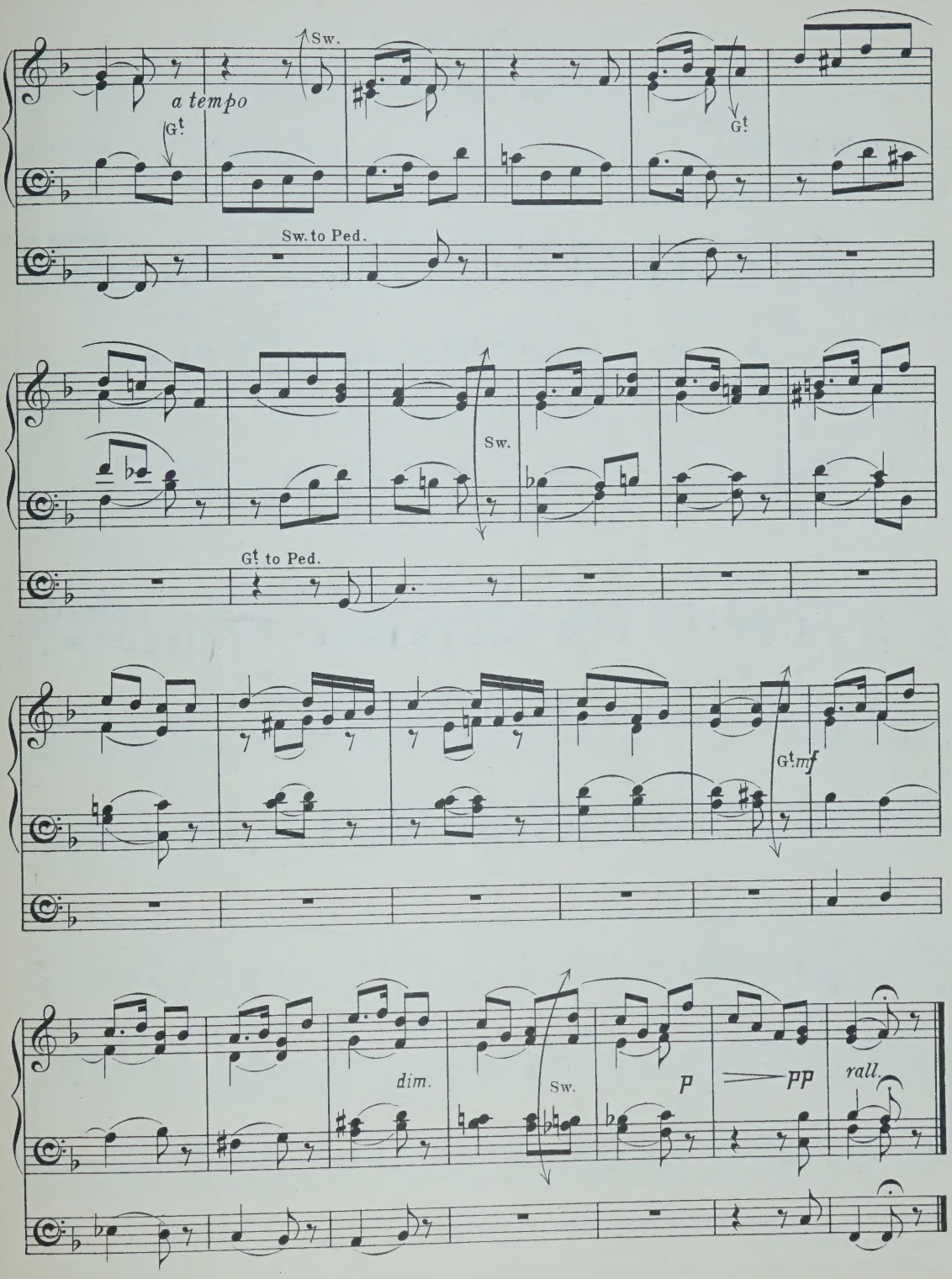
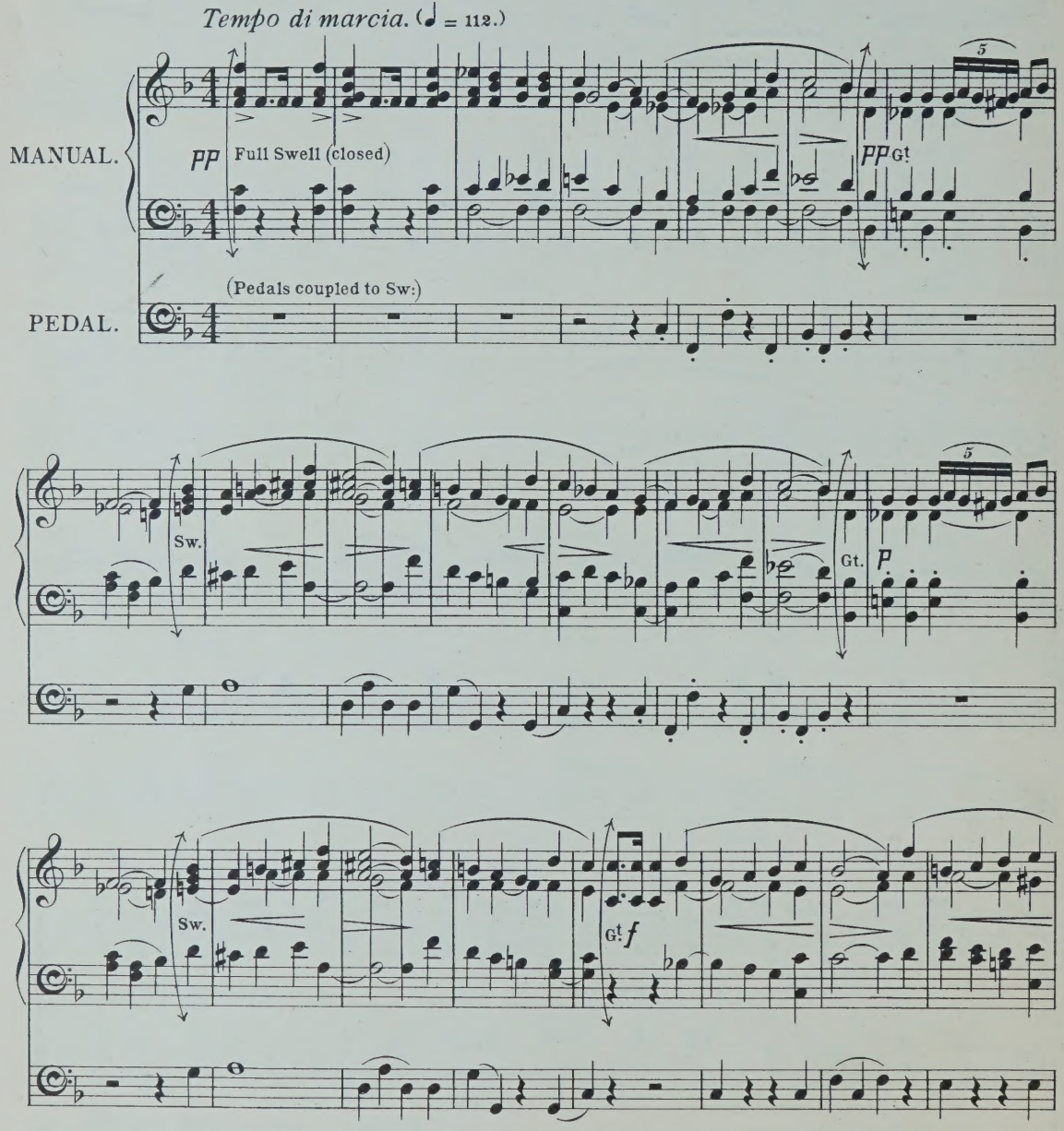

Sw.
a tempo
G!
G!
Sw. to Ped.
Sw.
G! to Ped.
G! mf
dim.
Sw.
p
pp
rall.

The Bride's March.

FROM "REBEKAH."

Arranged by F. C. W. J. Barnby.



(A complete version of this March has been arranged by James Shaw.)

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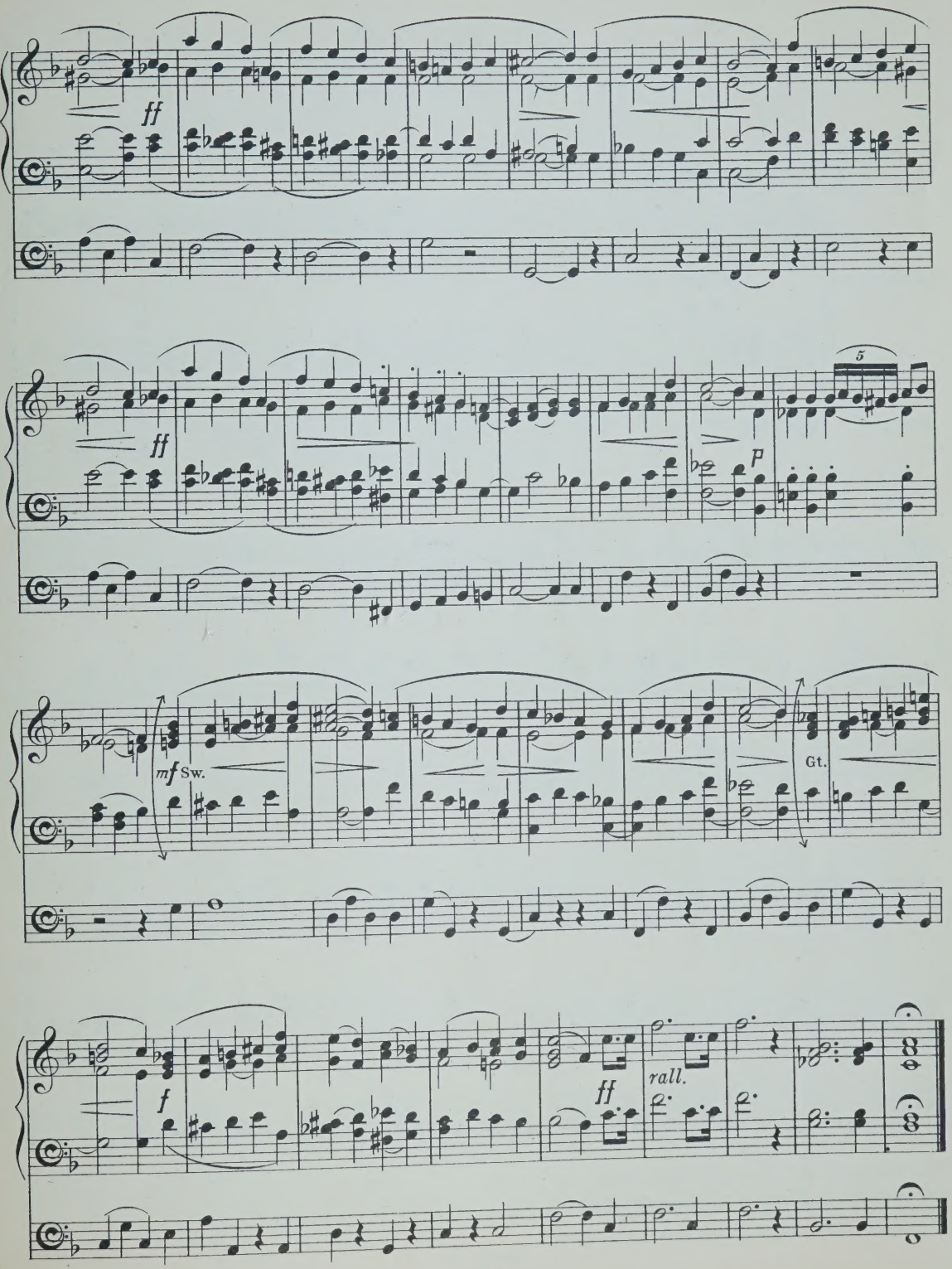
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mf Sw.
Gt.
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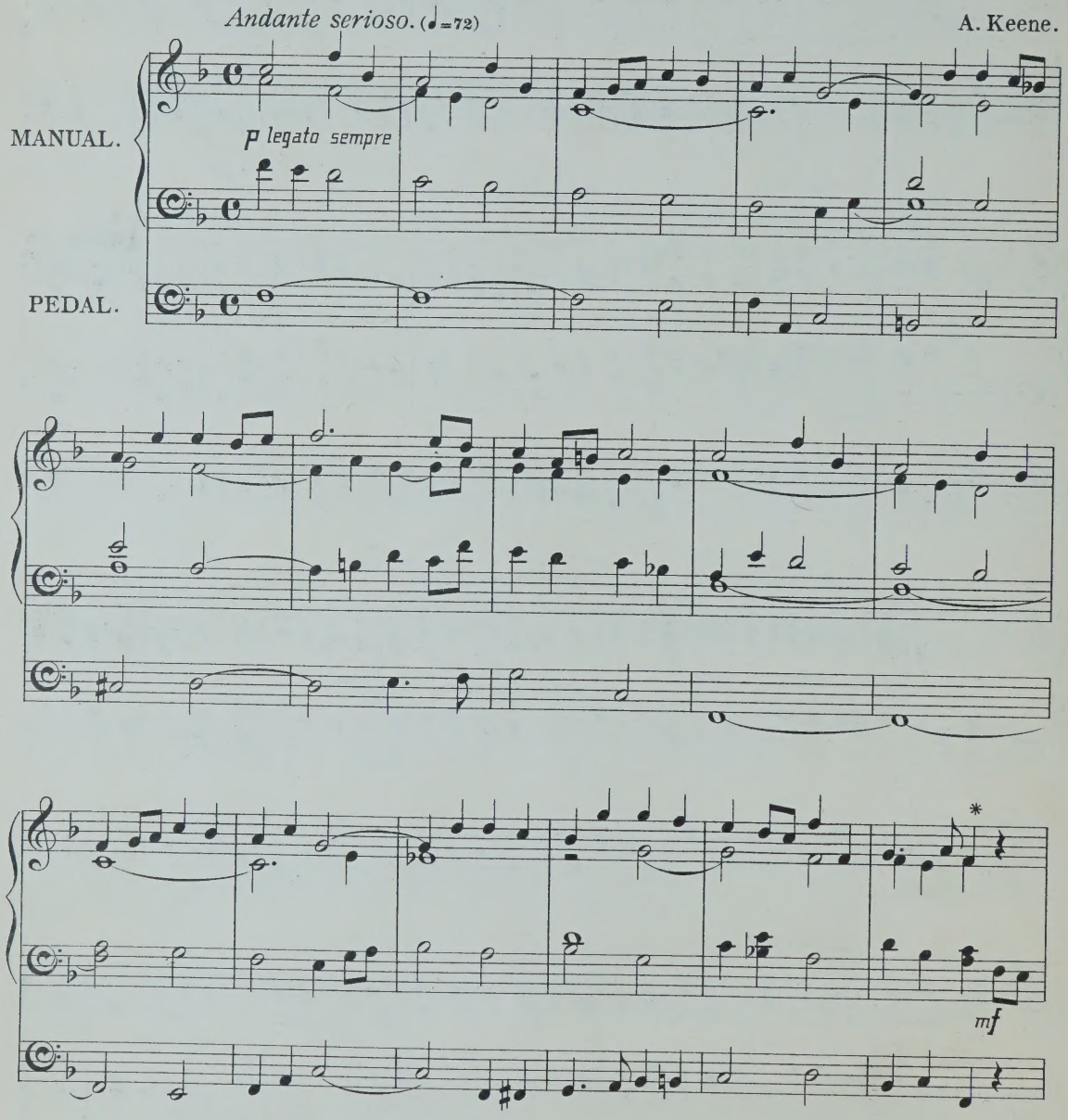
rall.

Invocation in F.

(Introductory Voluntary.)



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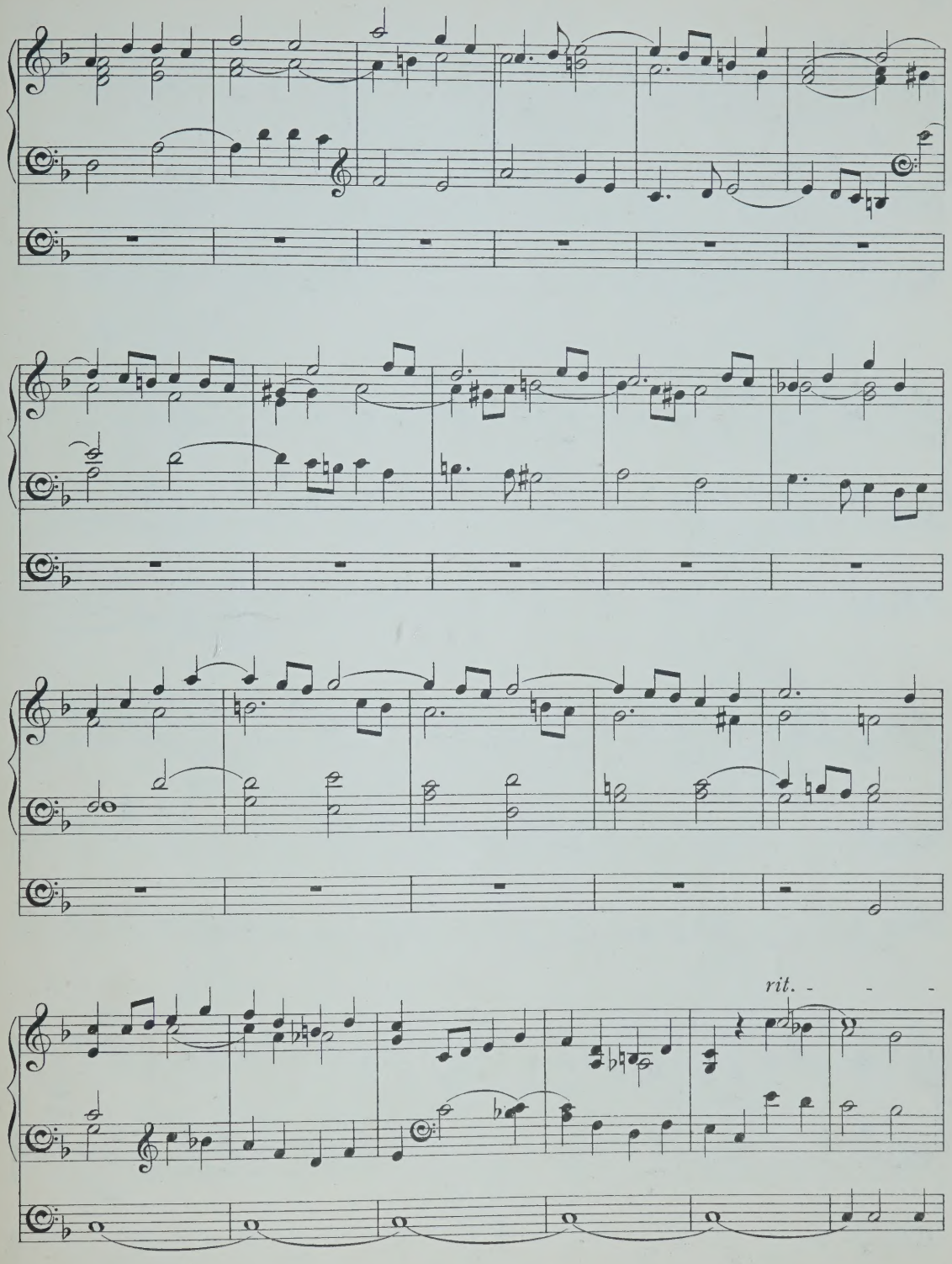
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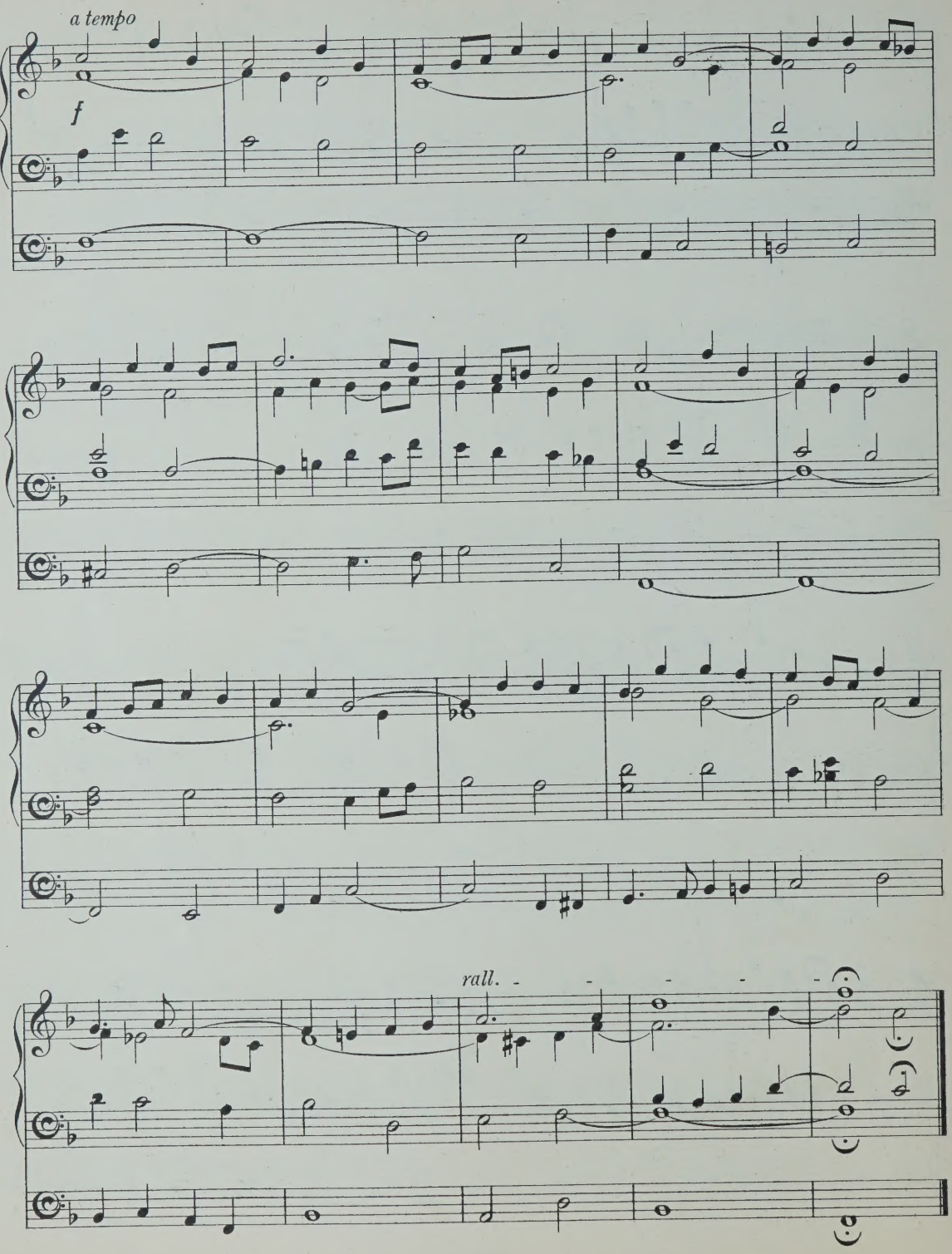
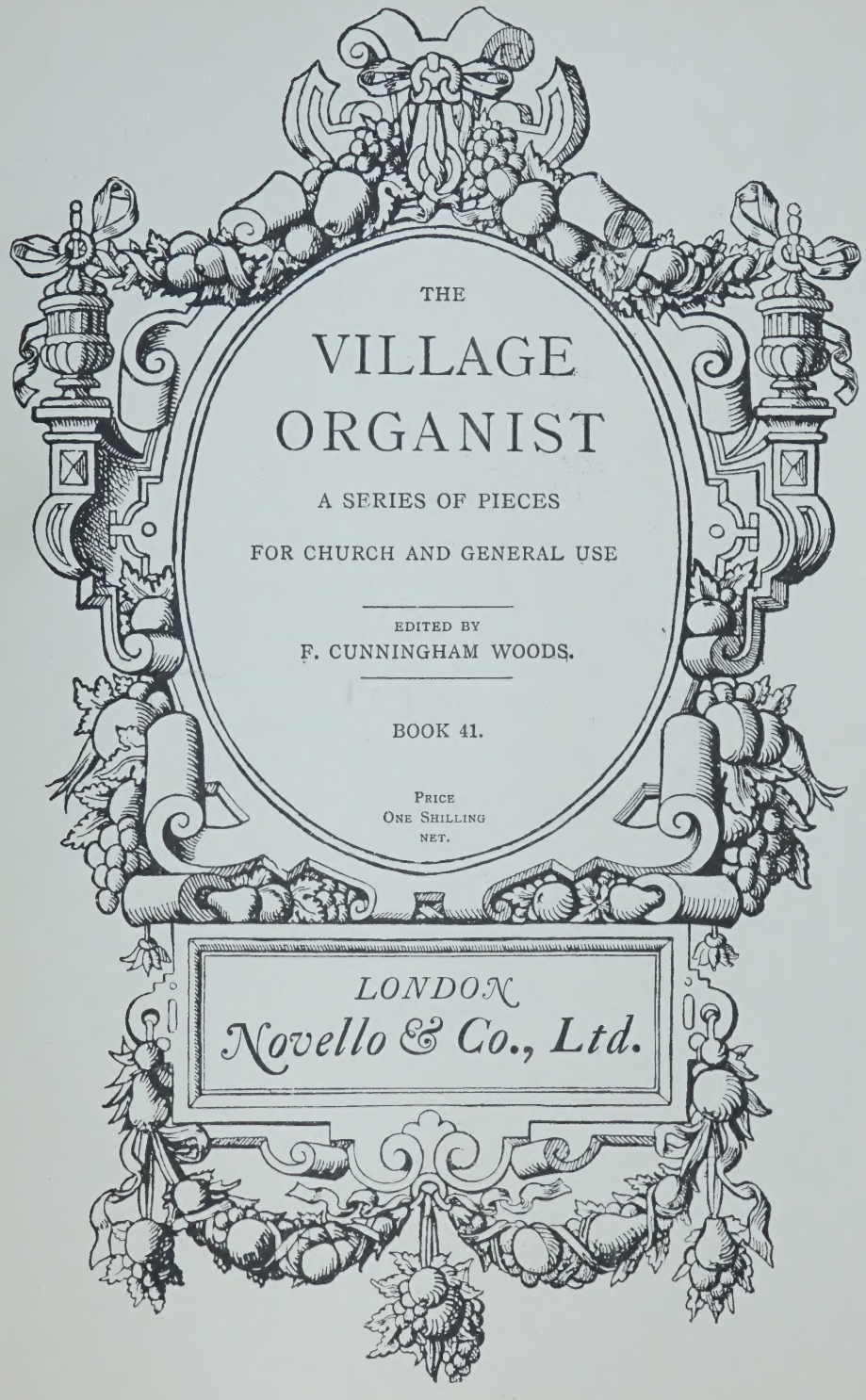

a tempo
f
rall.



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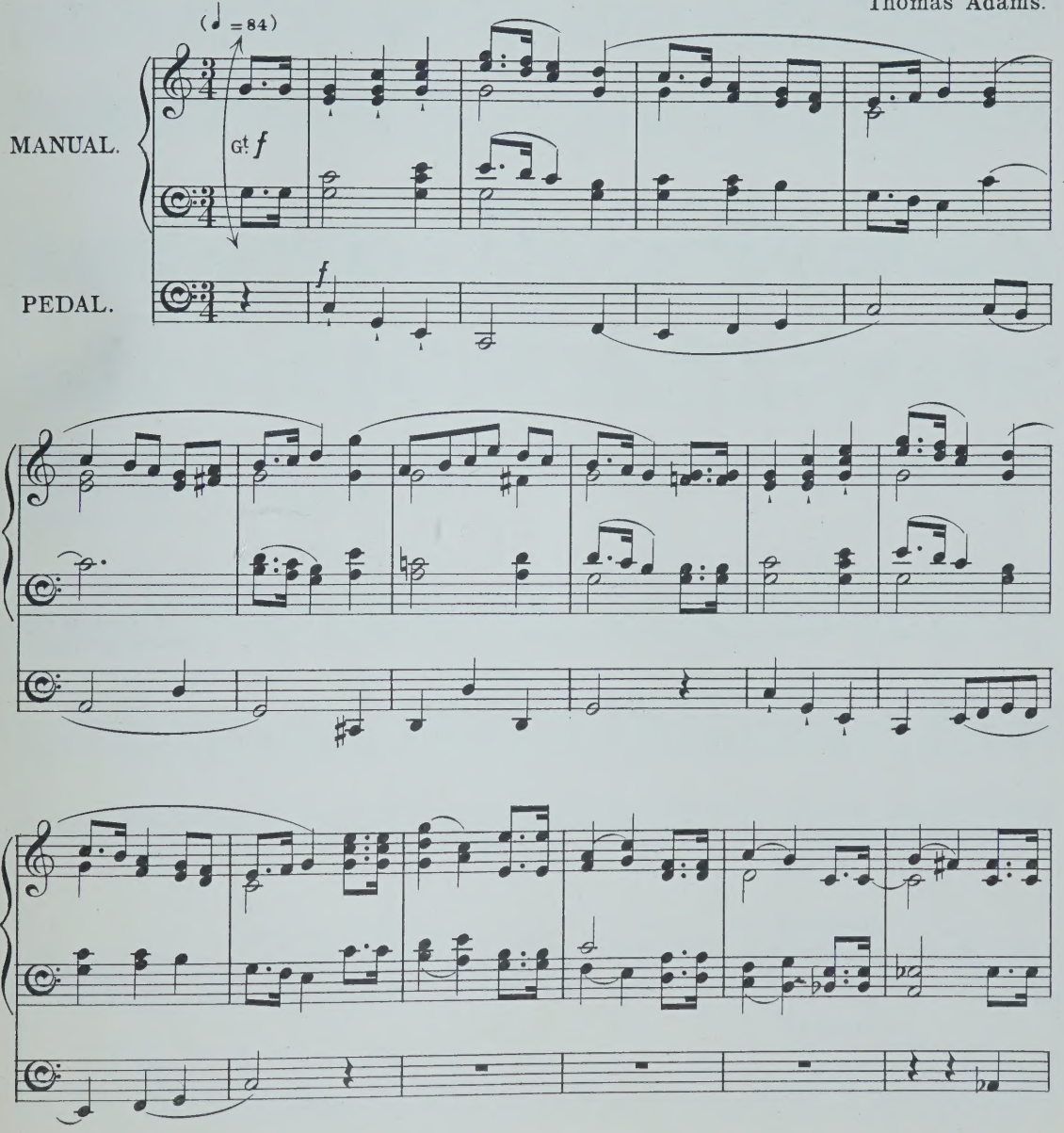
Allegro Pomposo.

(Concluding Voluntary.)

Thomas Adams.



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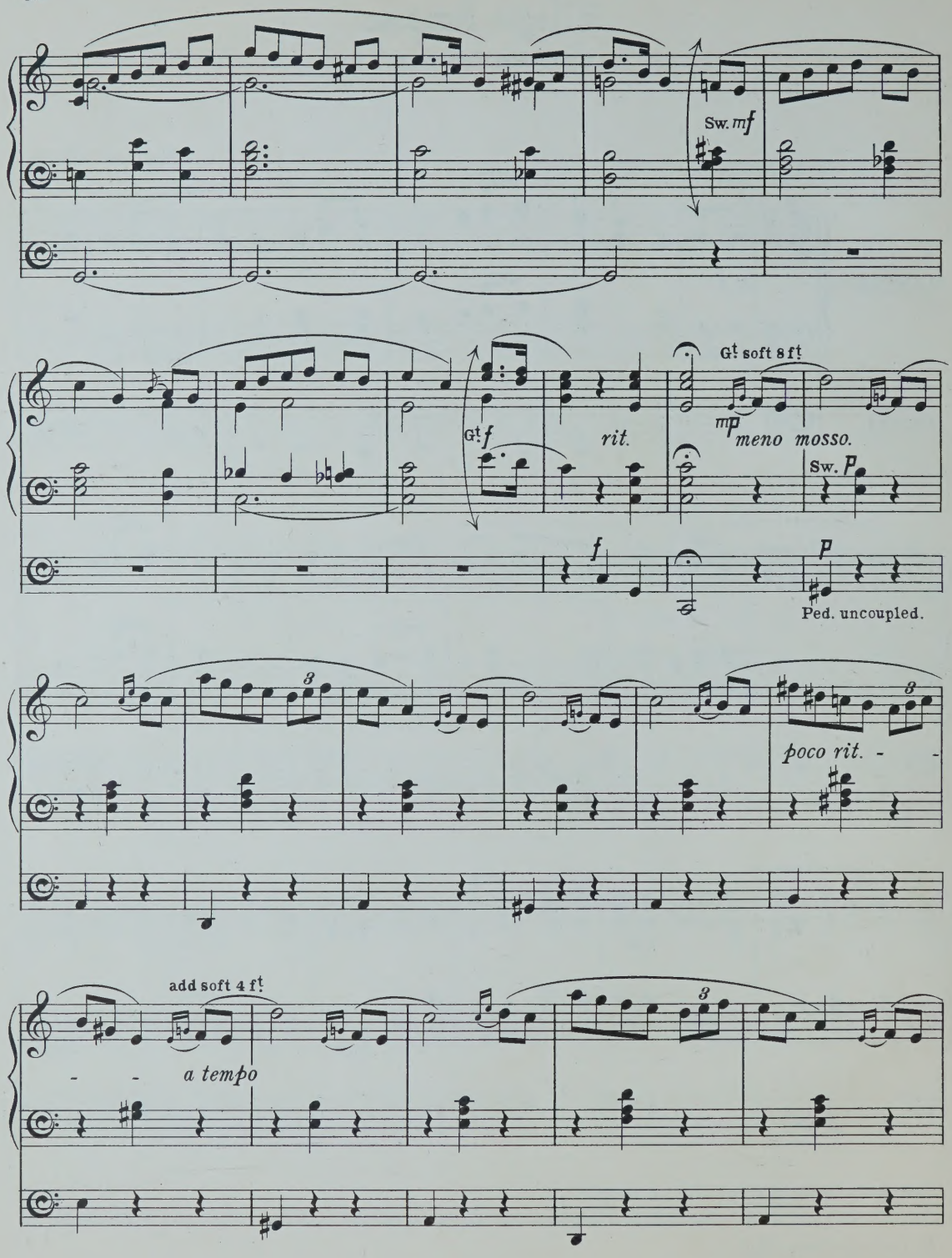
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f
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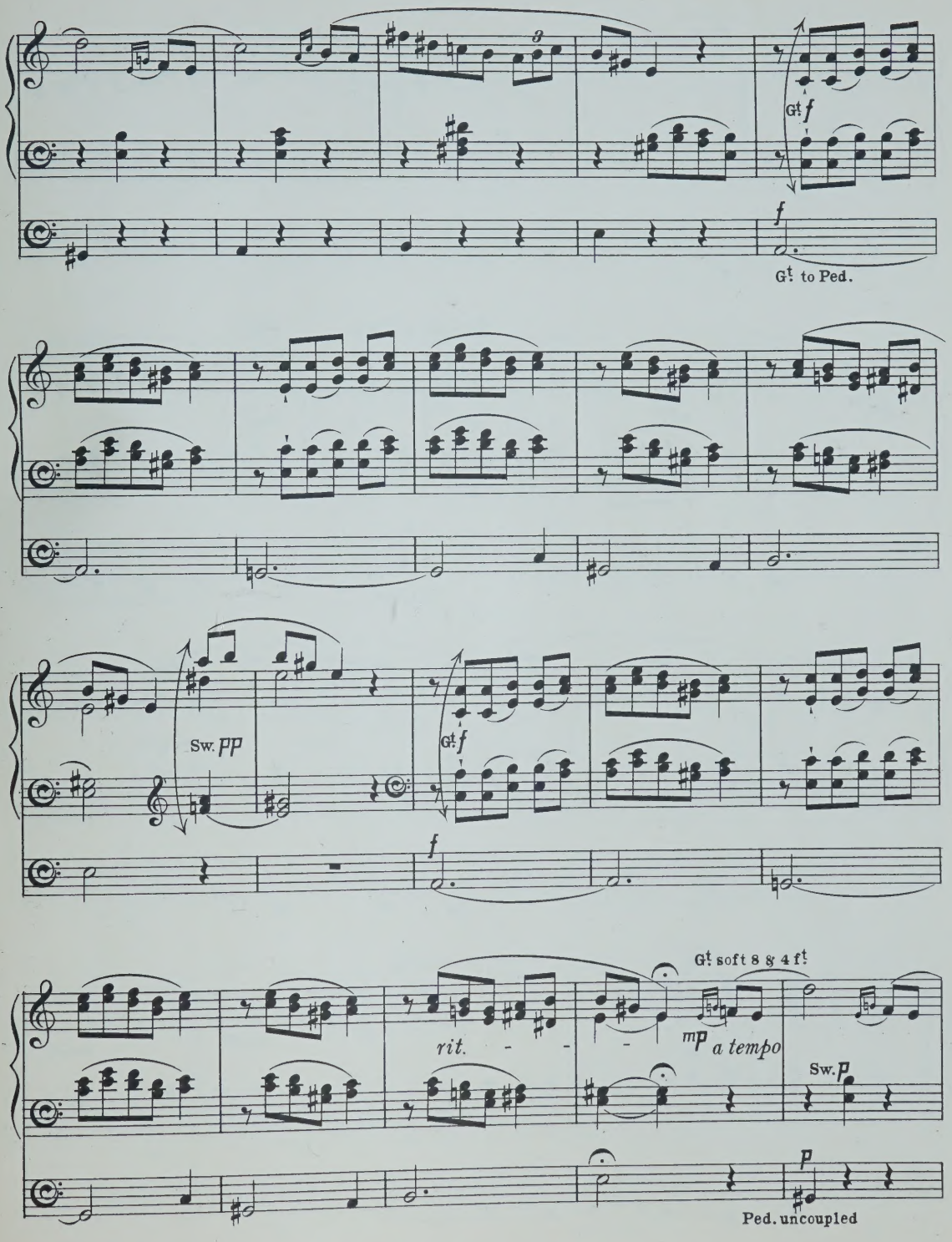
Ped. uncoupled.
poco rit.
add soft 4 ft
a tempo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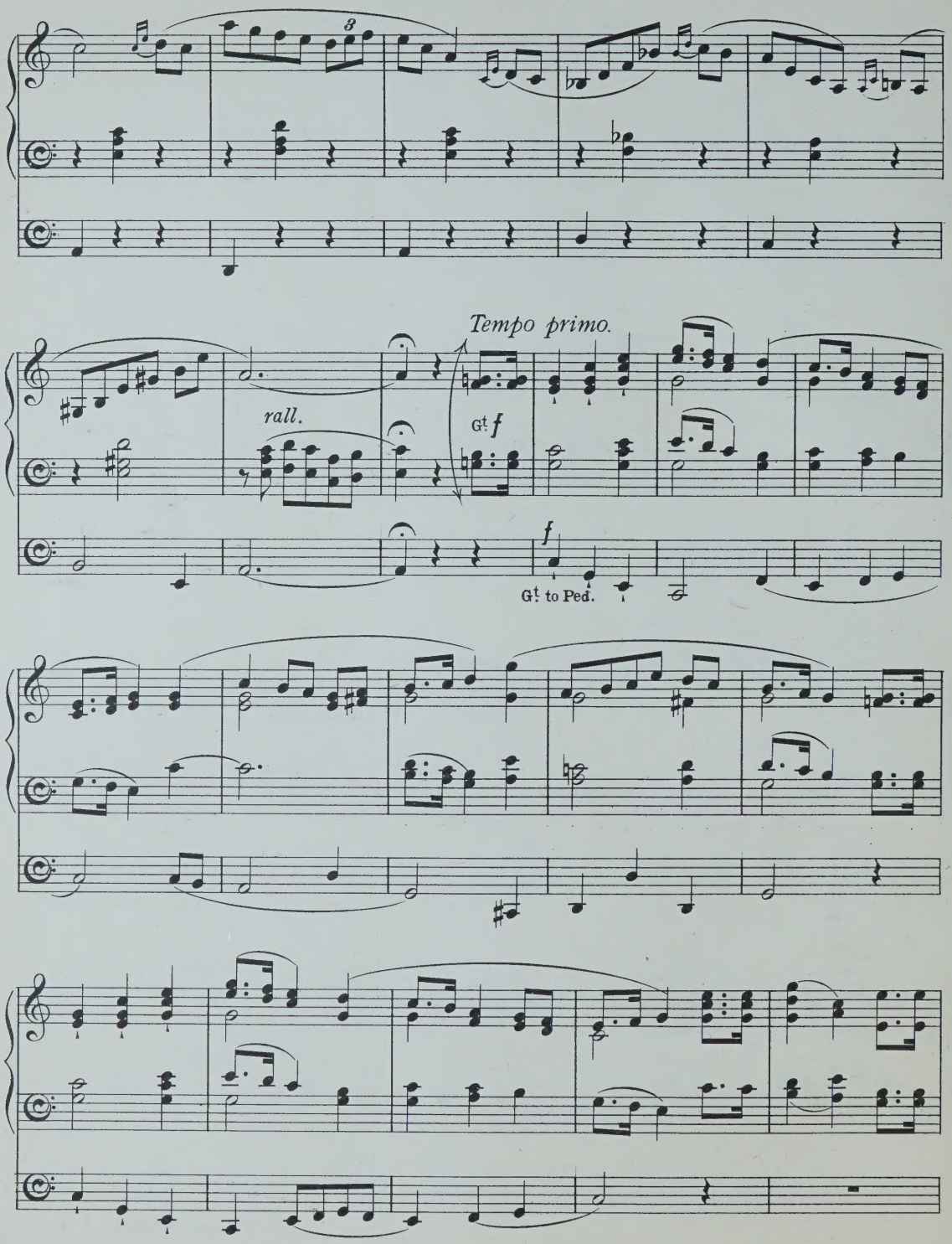
Sw. p
p
Ped. uncoupled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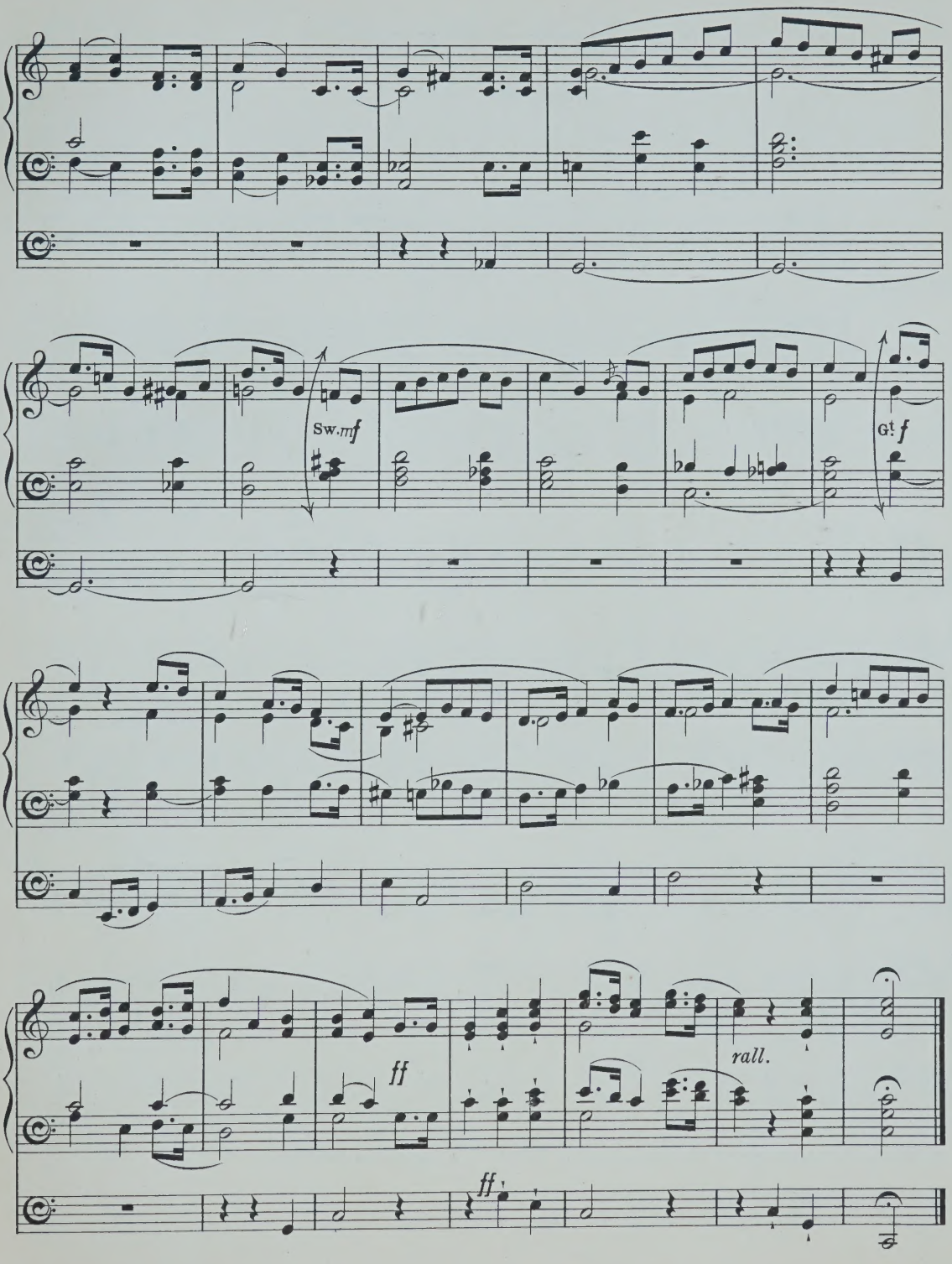
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Adagio in E minor.*)

(Introductory Voluntary.)

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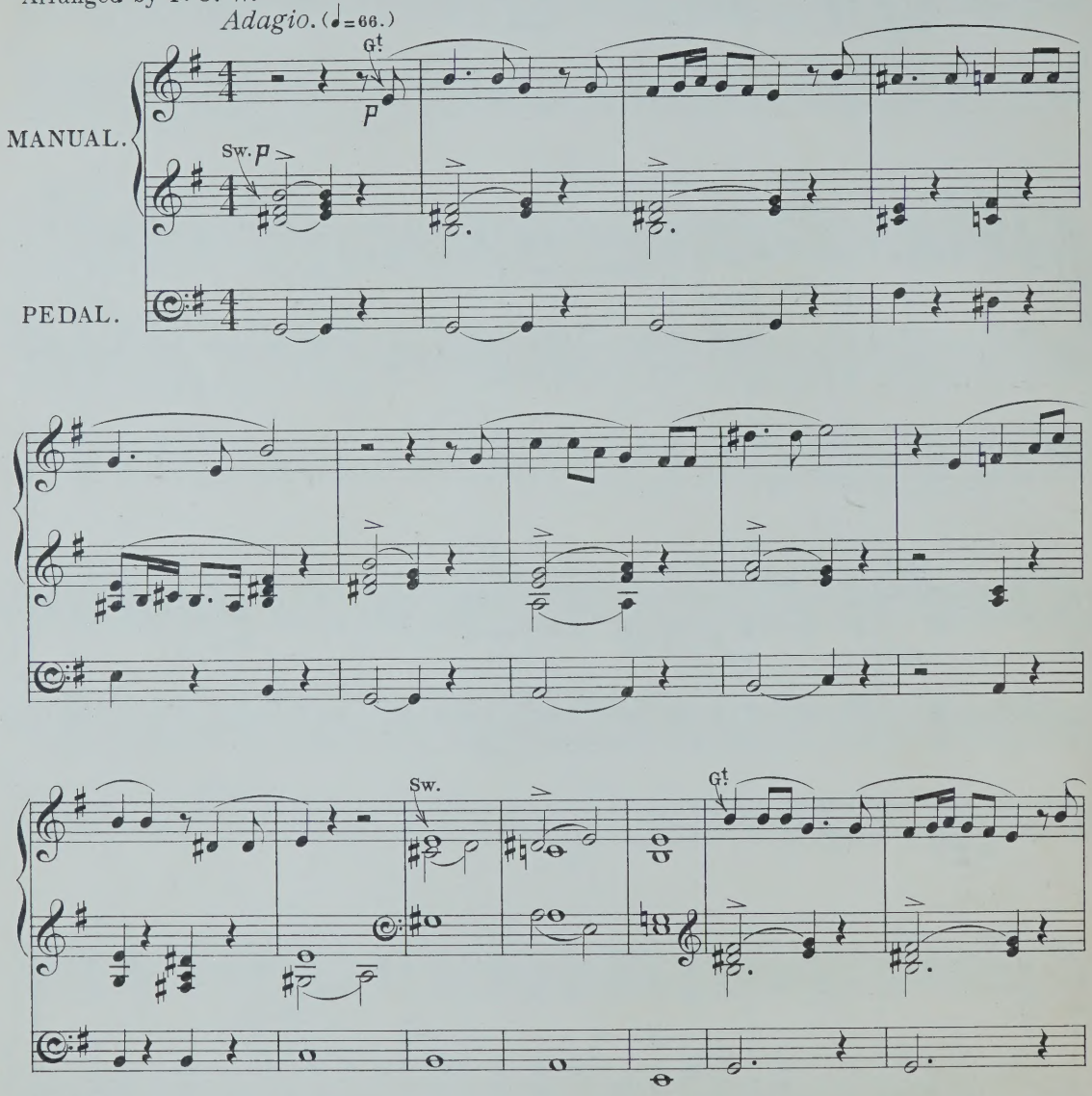

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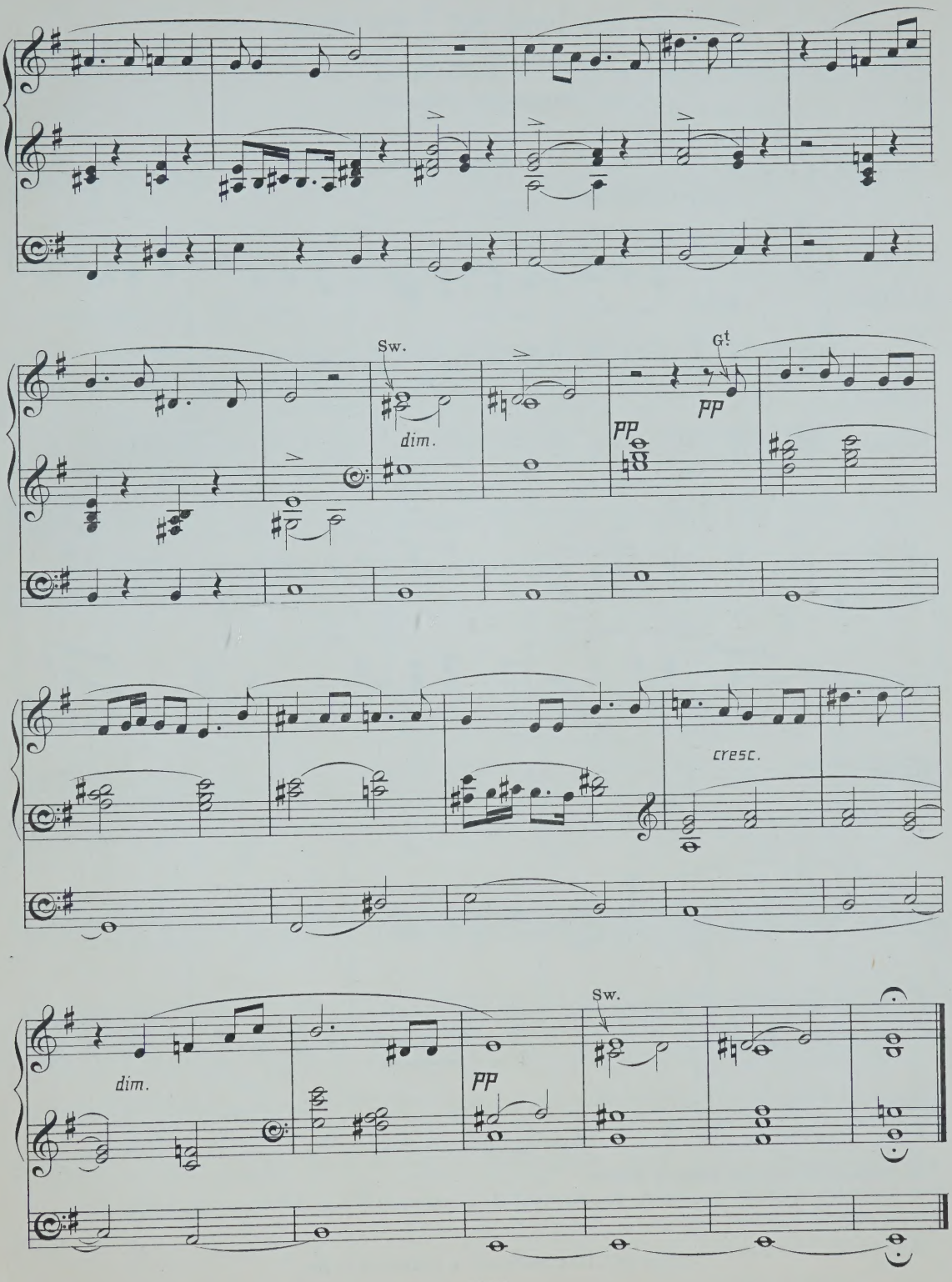
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dim.
Gt
pp
pp
cresc.
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In the Lord put I my trust.

FROM "KING SAUL."

(Introductory Voluntary.)

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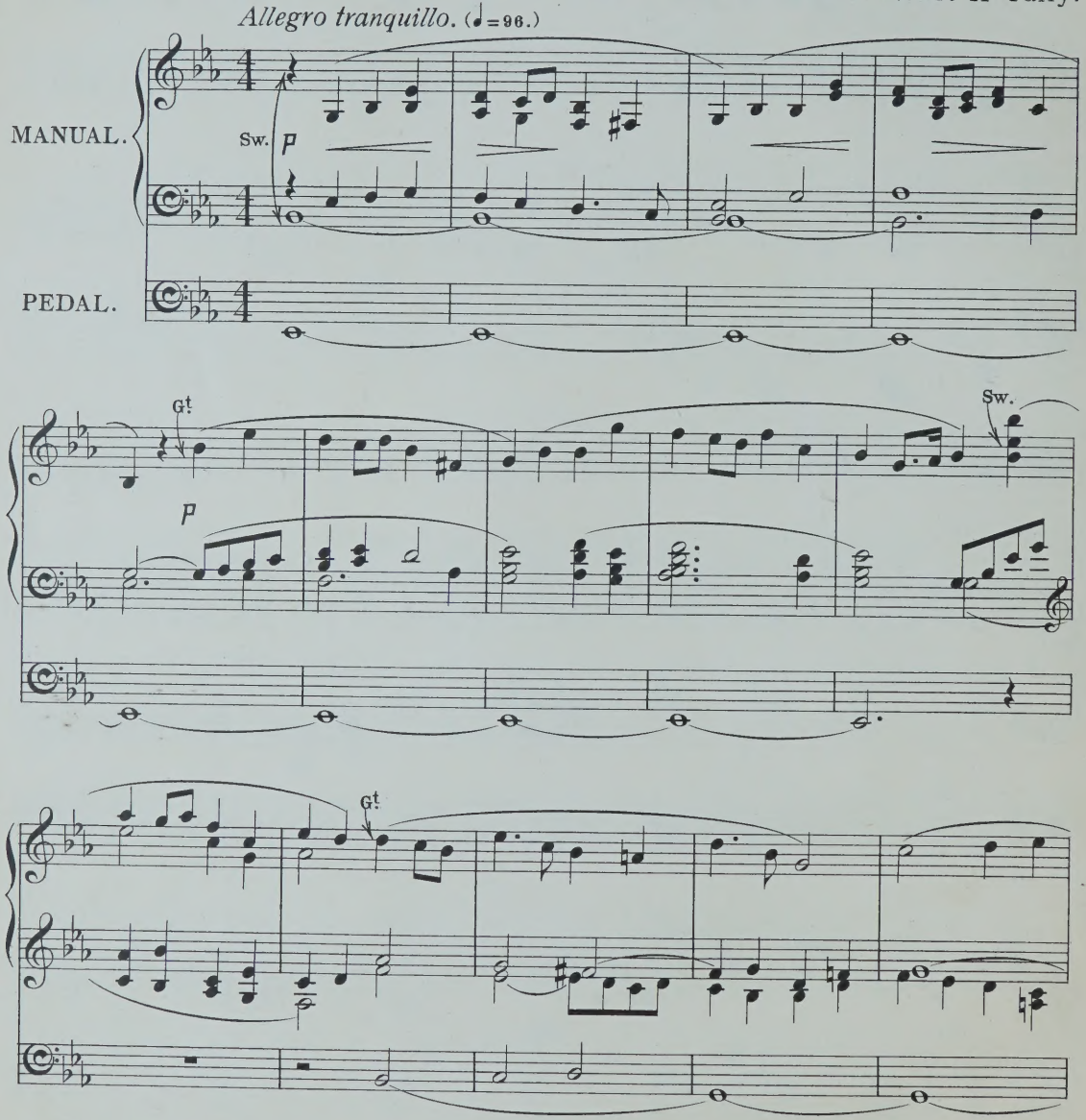
C. Hubert H. Parry.



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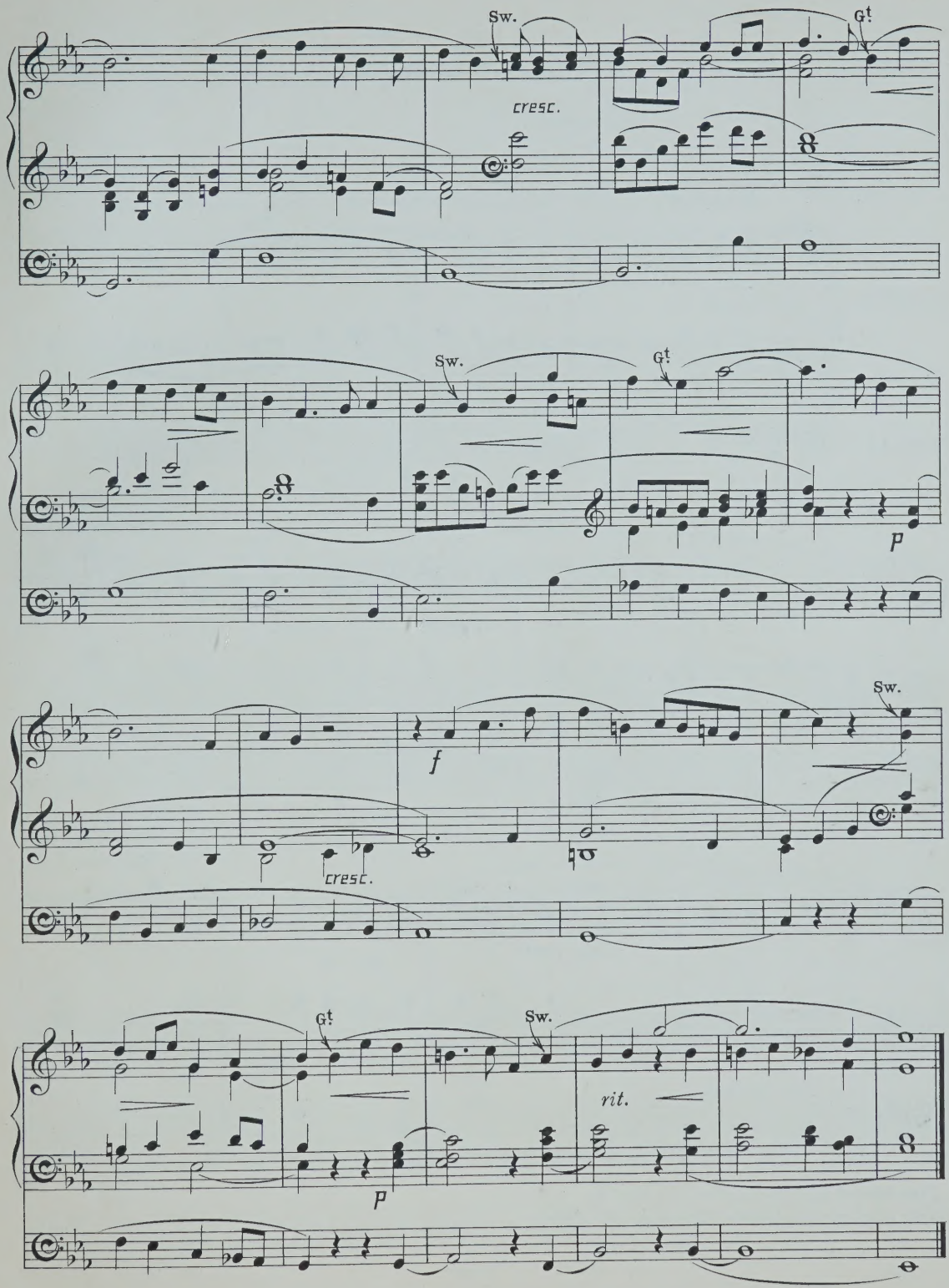
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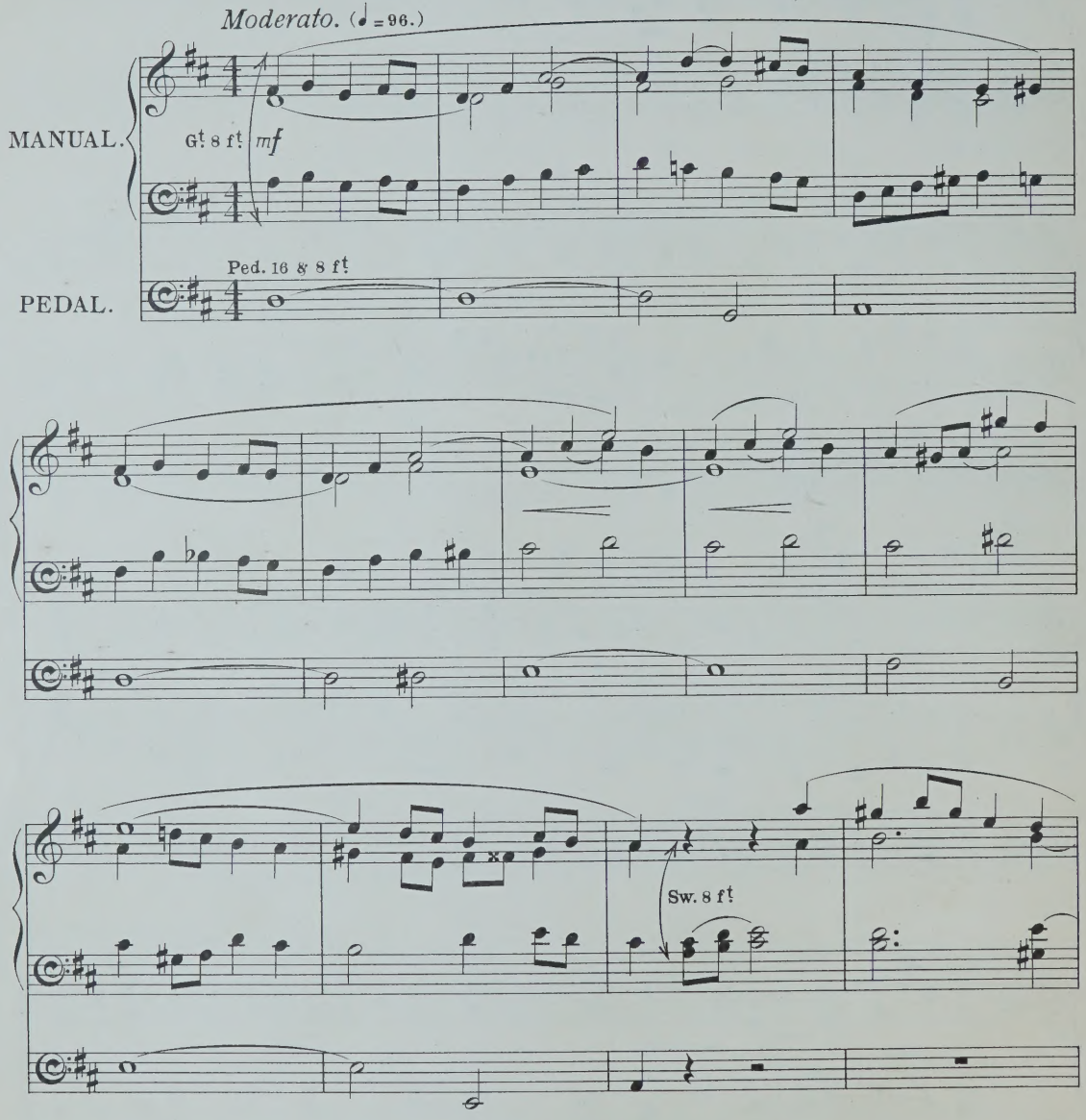
Prelude in D major.

W. John Reynolds.



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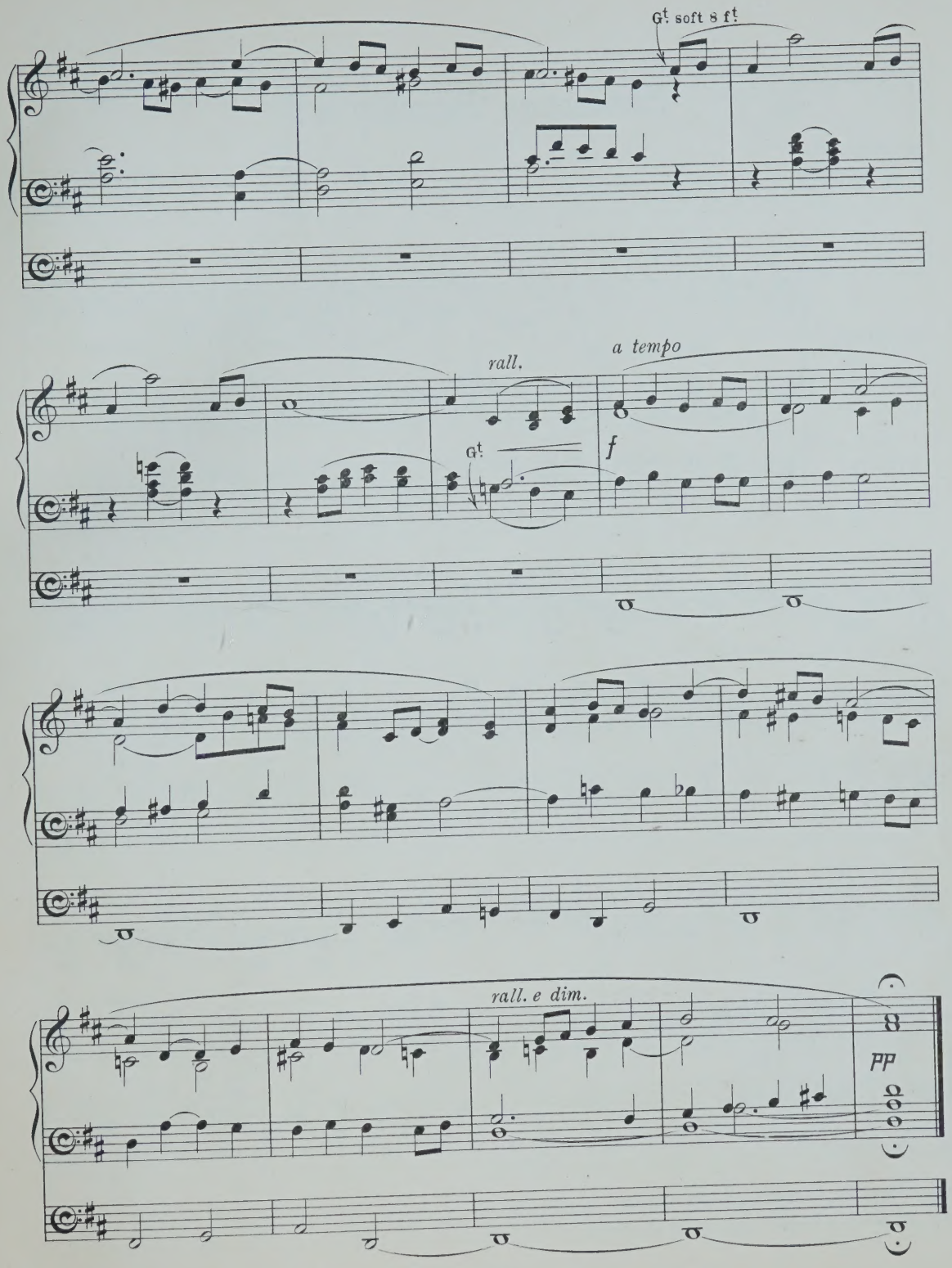
Gt. soft 8 ft.
rall.
a tempo
Gt.
f
rall. e dim.
pp

Introductory Voluntary in F.

Arranged by
John Pullein.

John Bennett.
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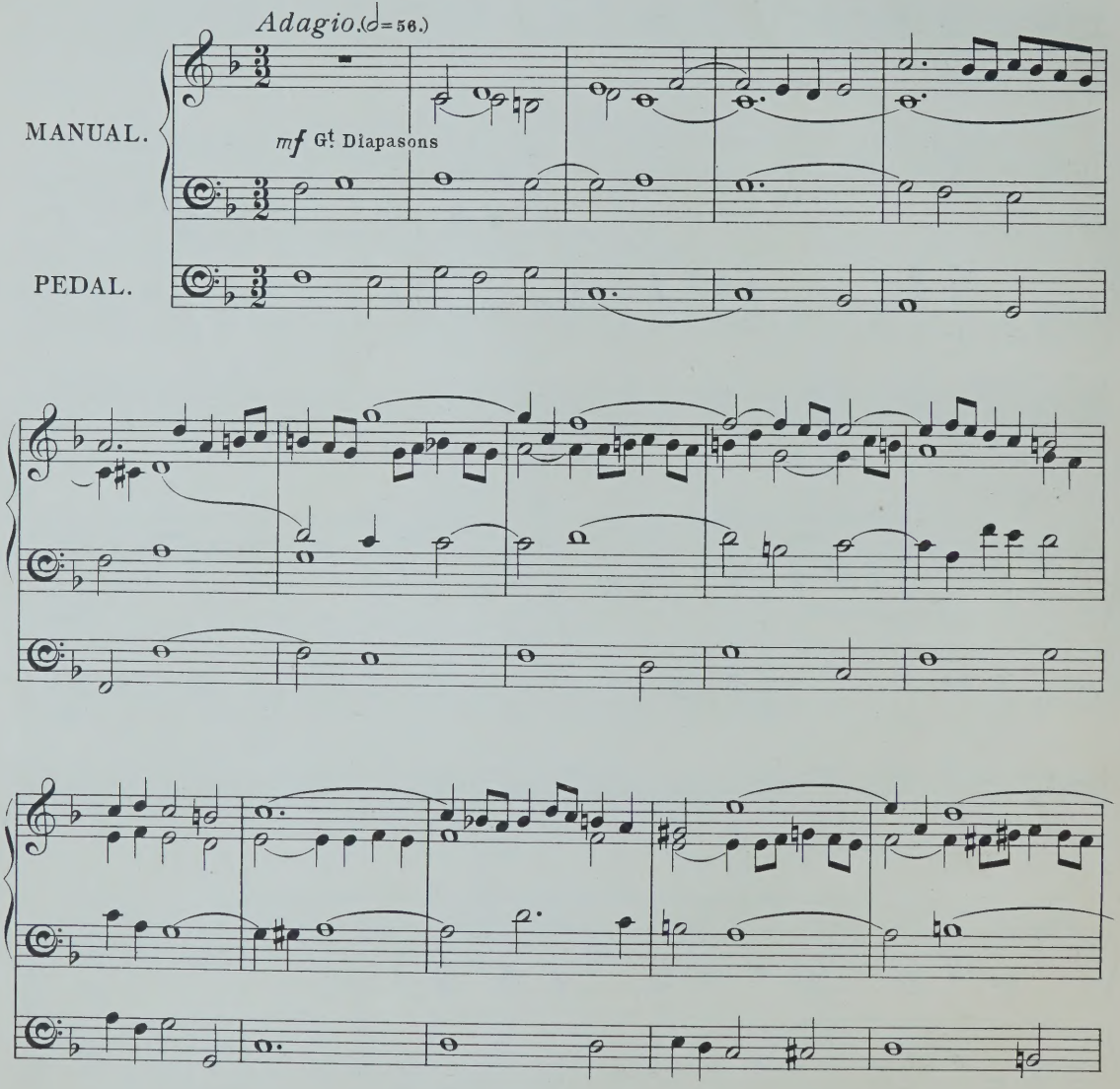

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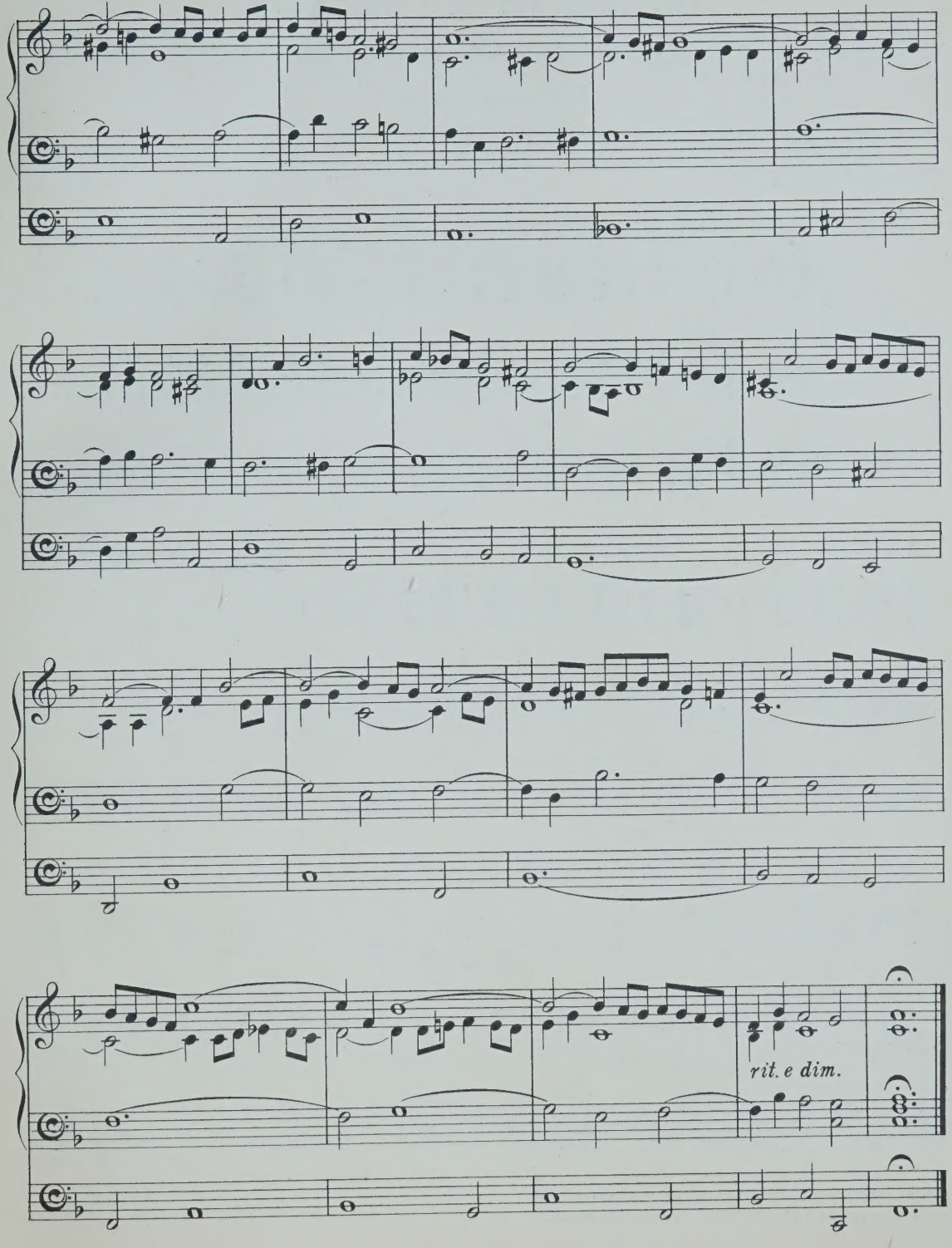
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And Israel saw that great work.

CHORUS FROM "ISRAEL IN EGYPT."

(Concluding Voluntary.)

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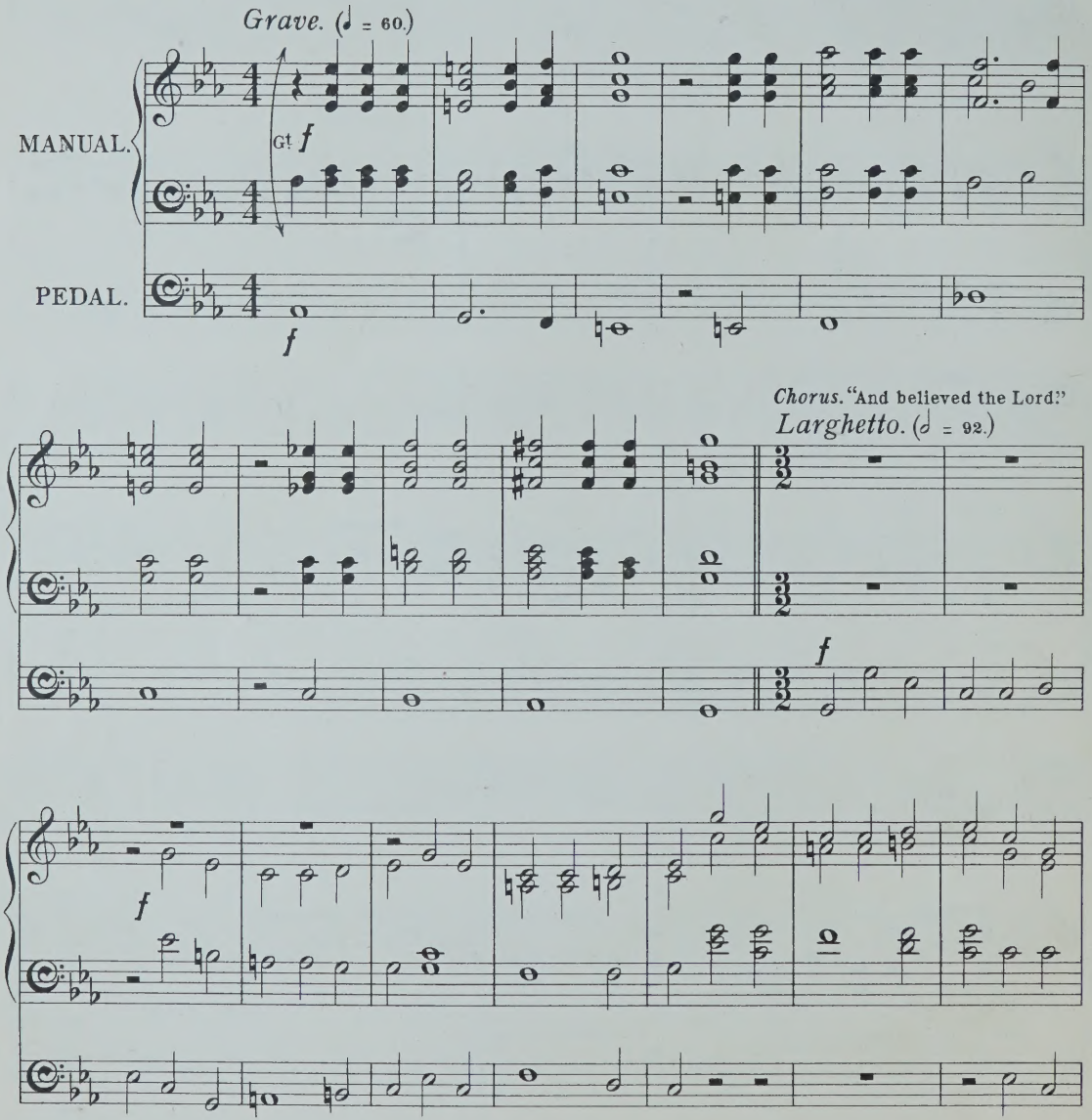

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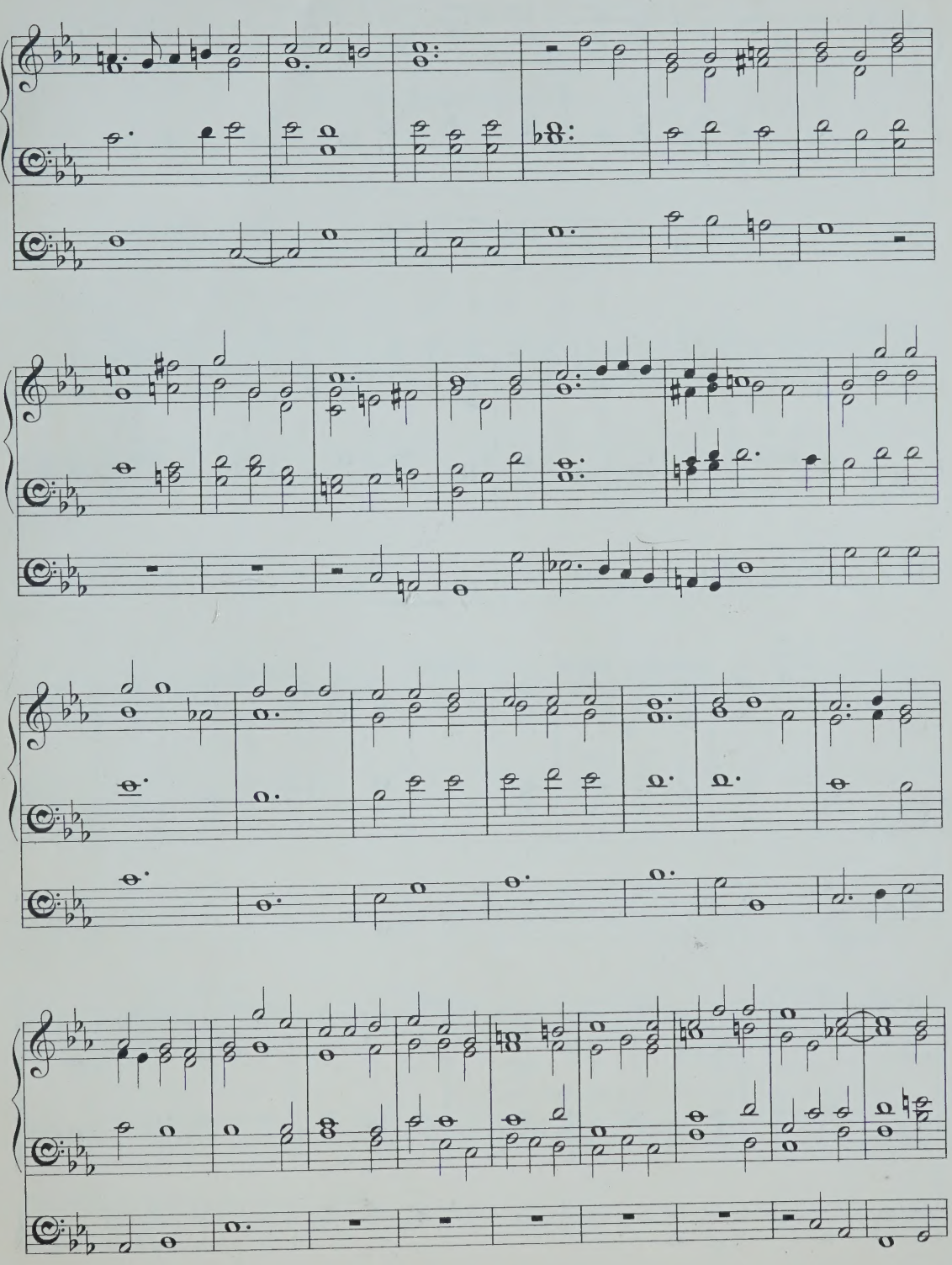

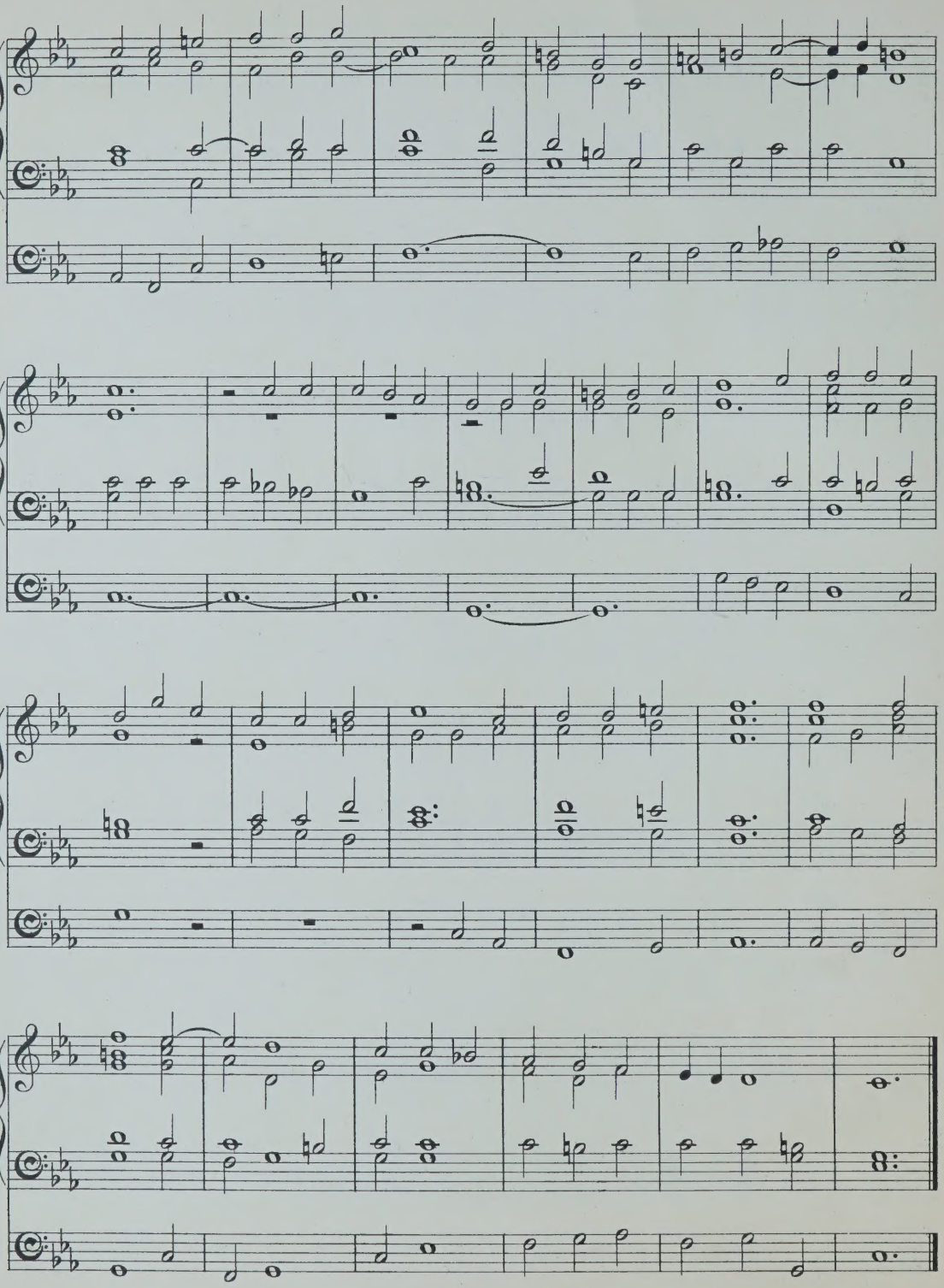

From Thy love as a Father.

FROM "THE REDEMPTION."

(Introductory Voluntary.)

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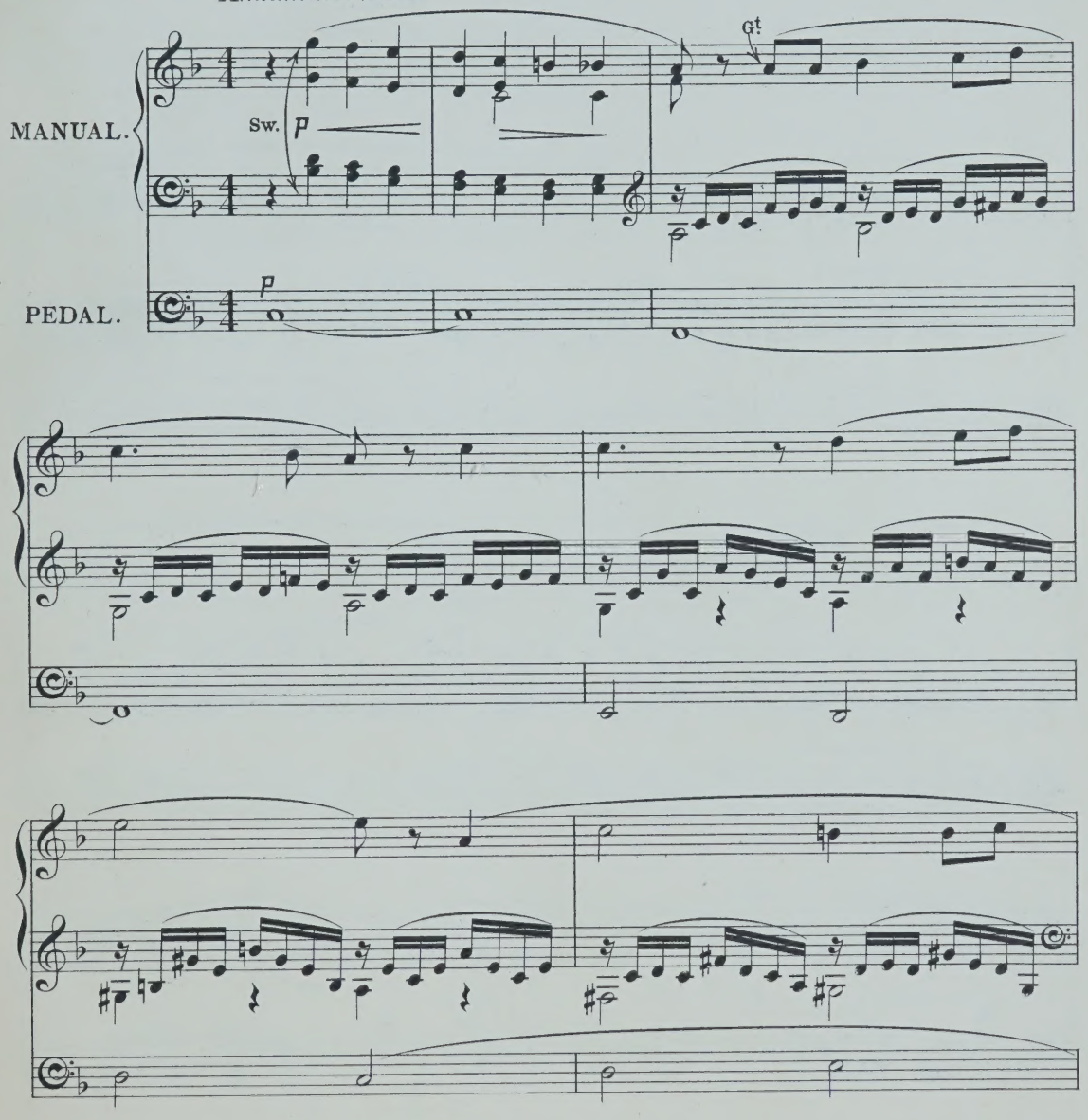
Andantino. (♩=56.)



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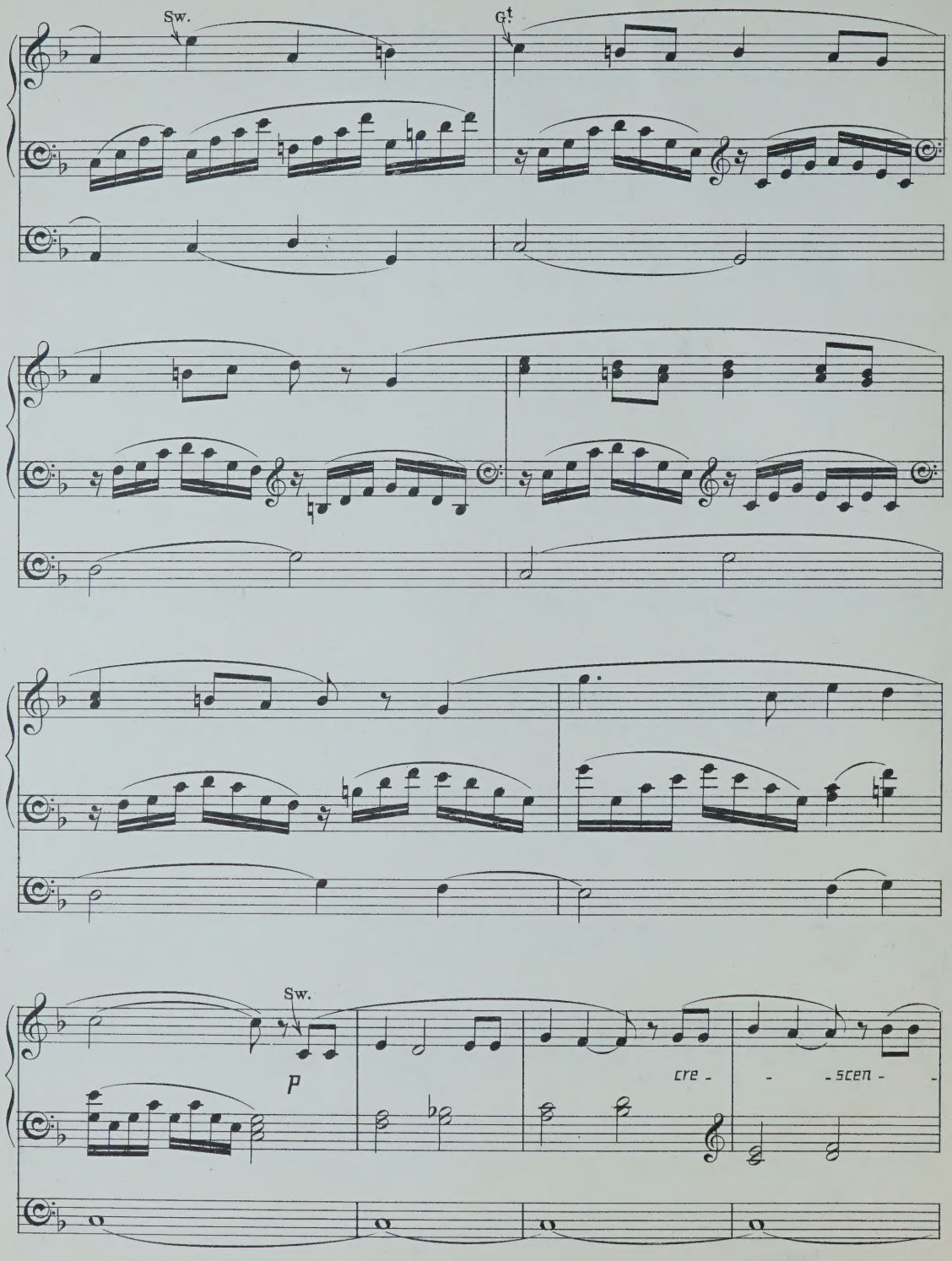
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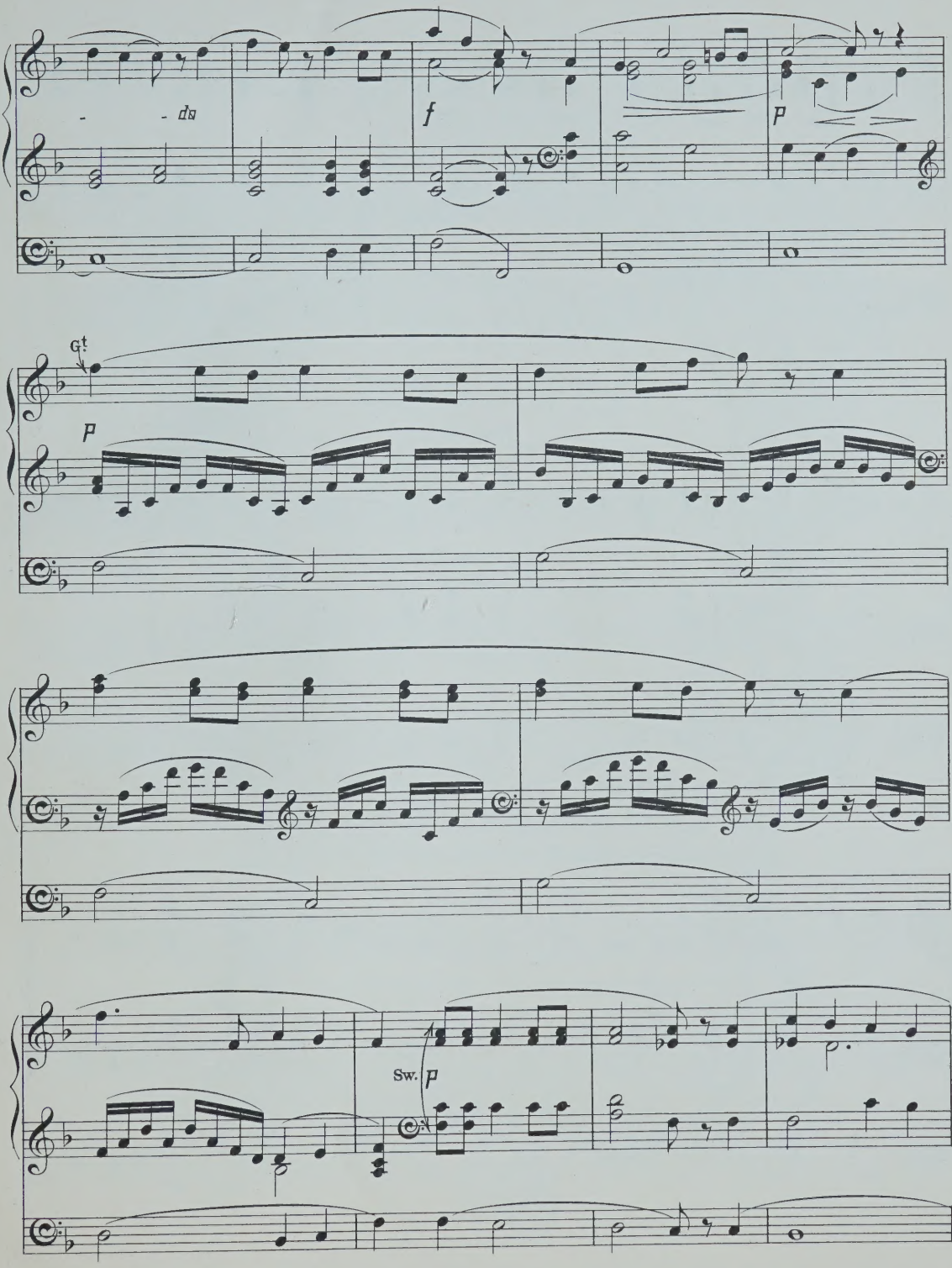
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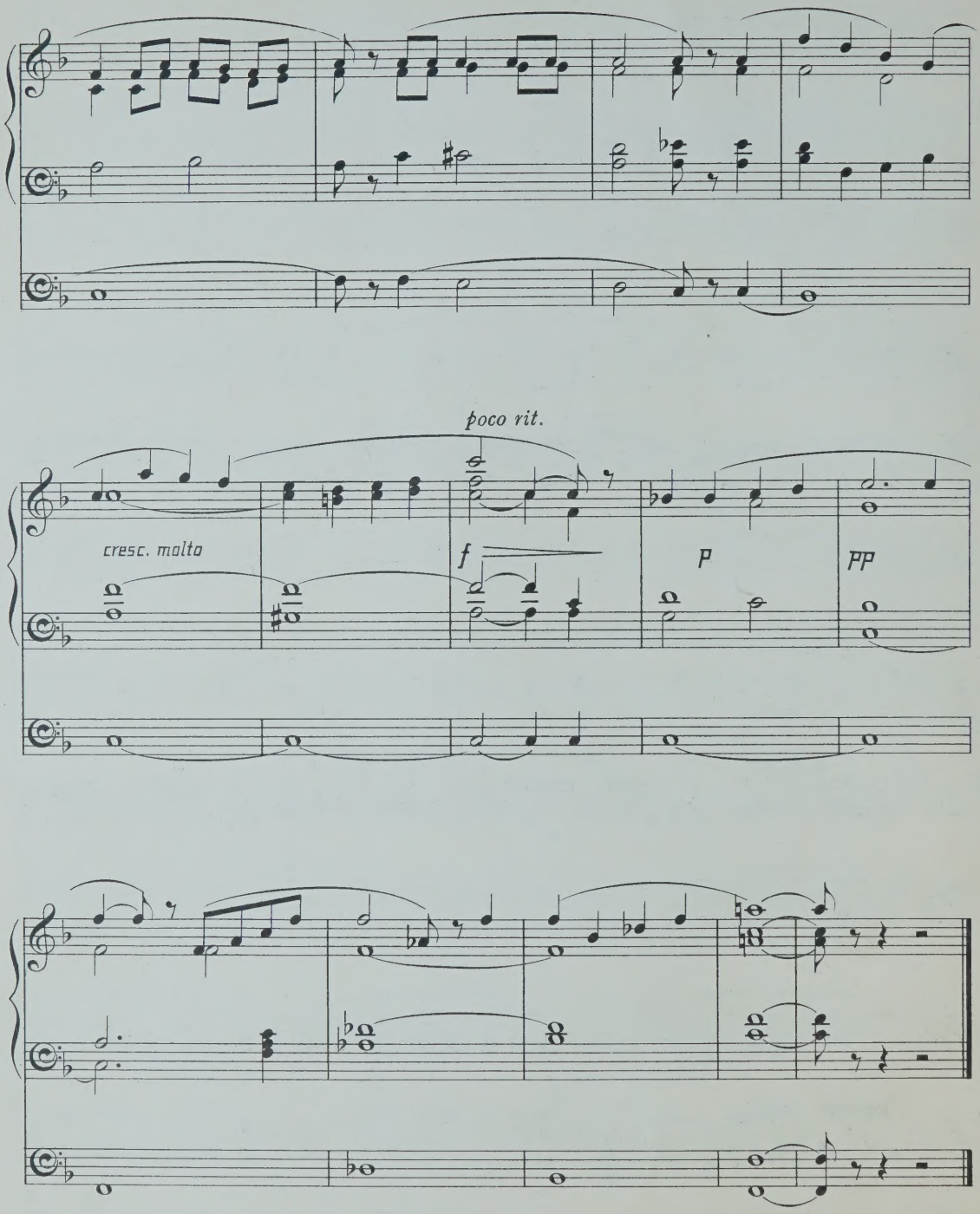
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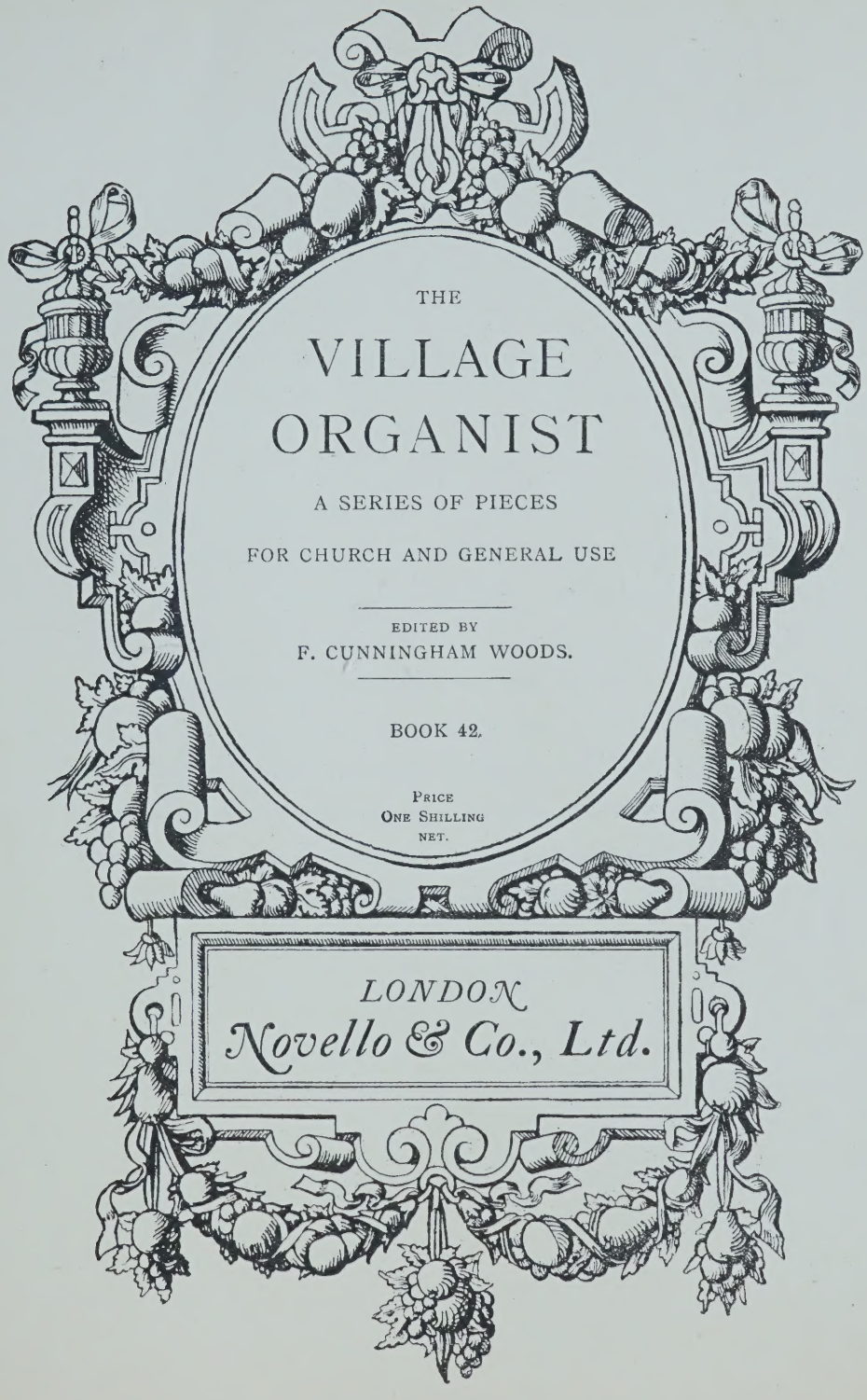
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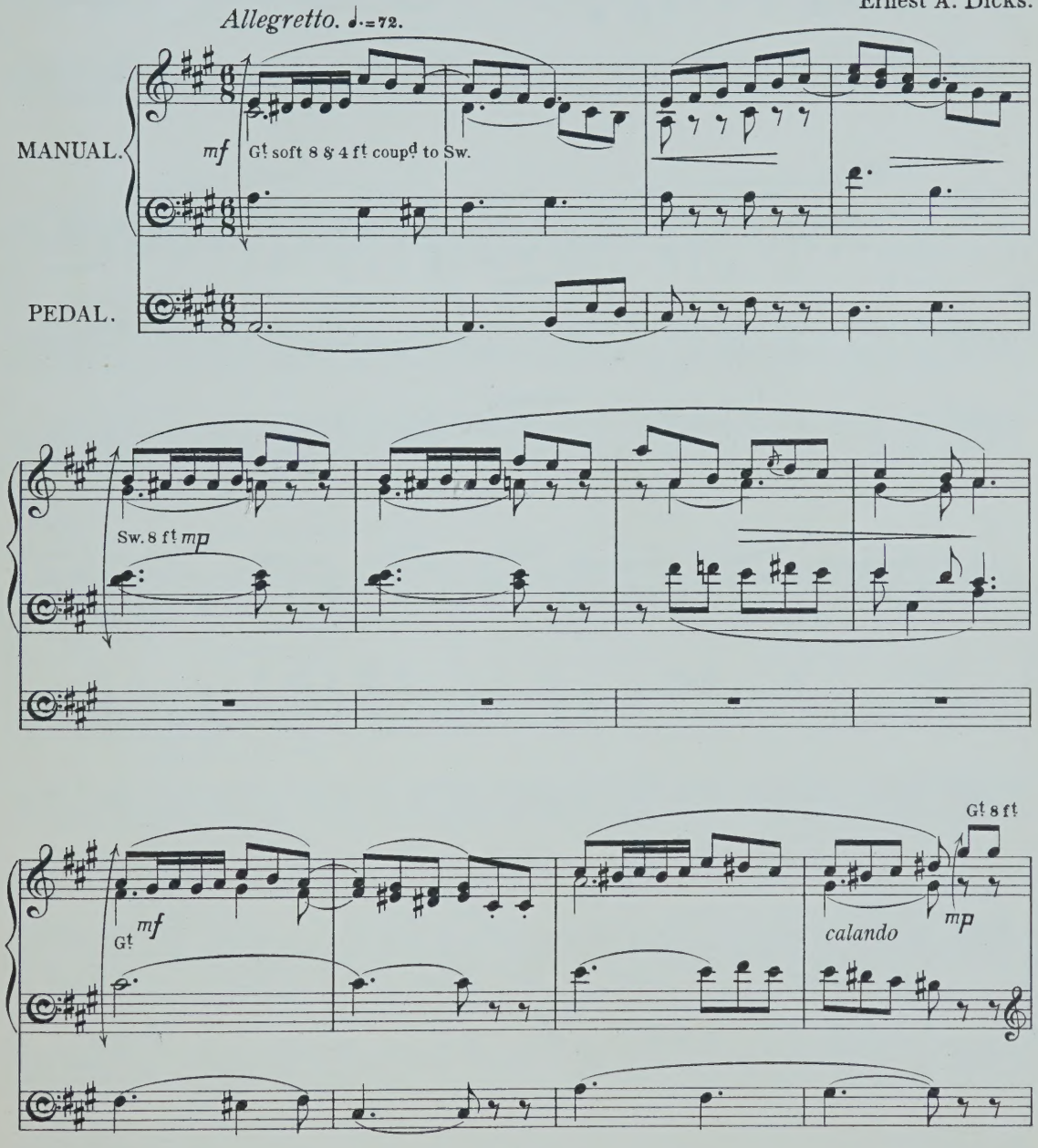
(Concluding Voluntary.)

Ernest A. Dicks.



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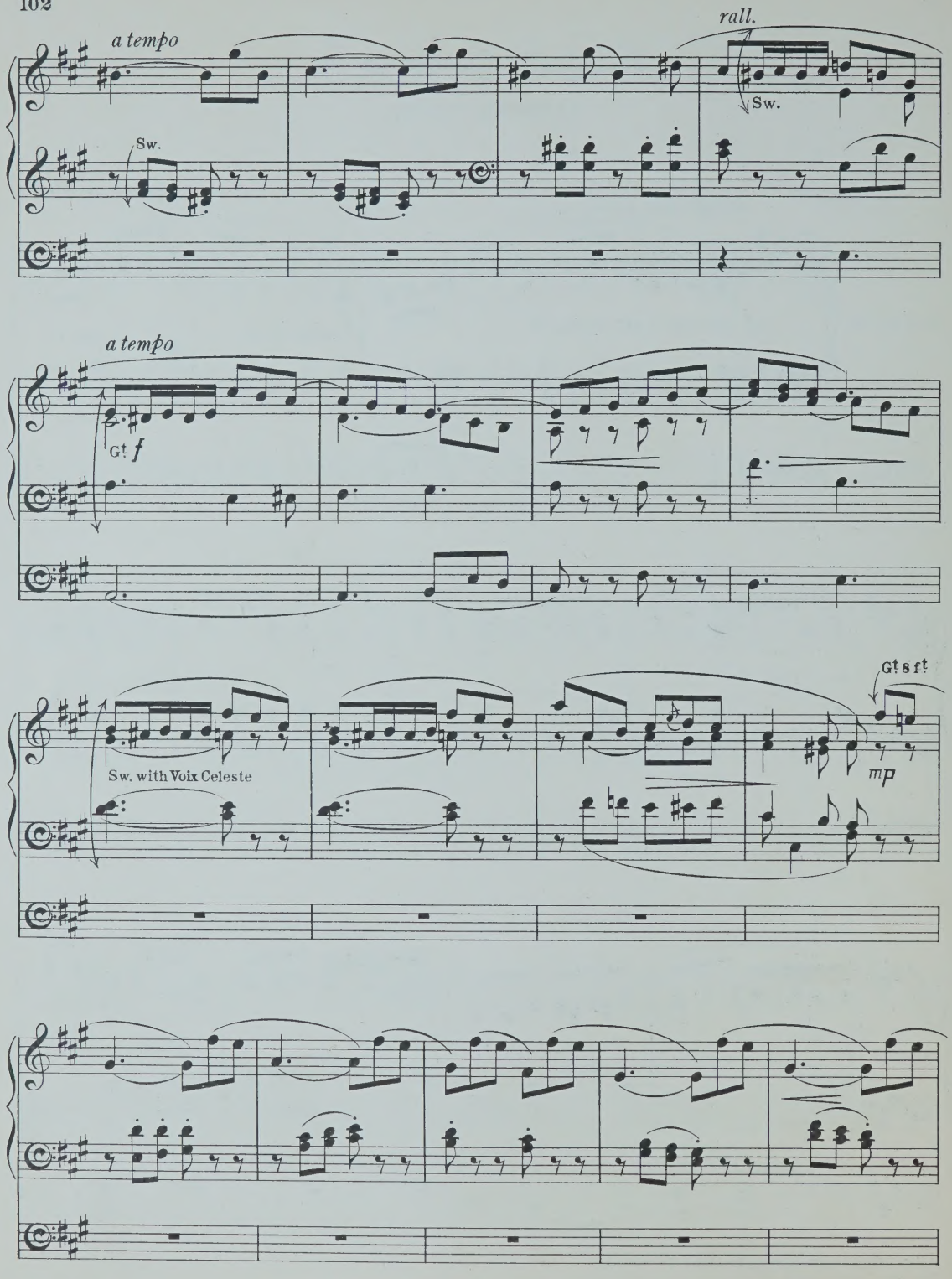
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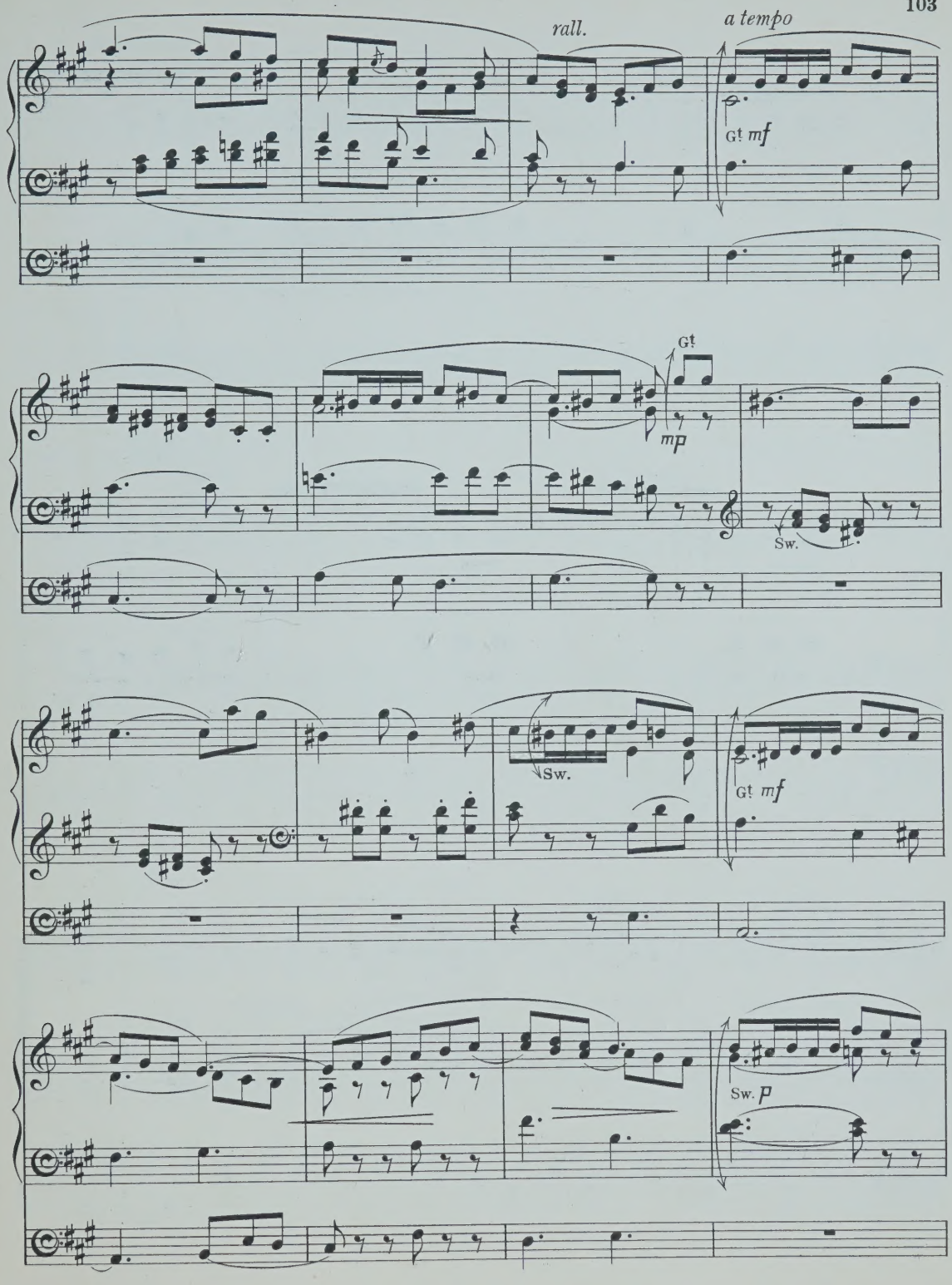
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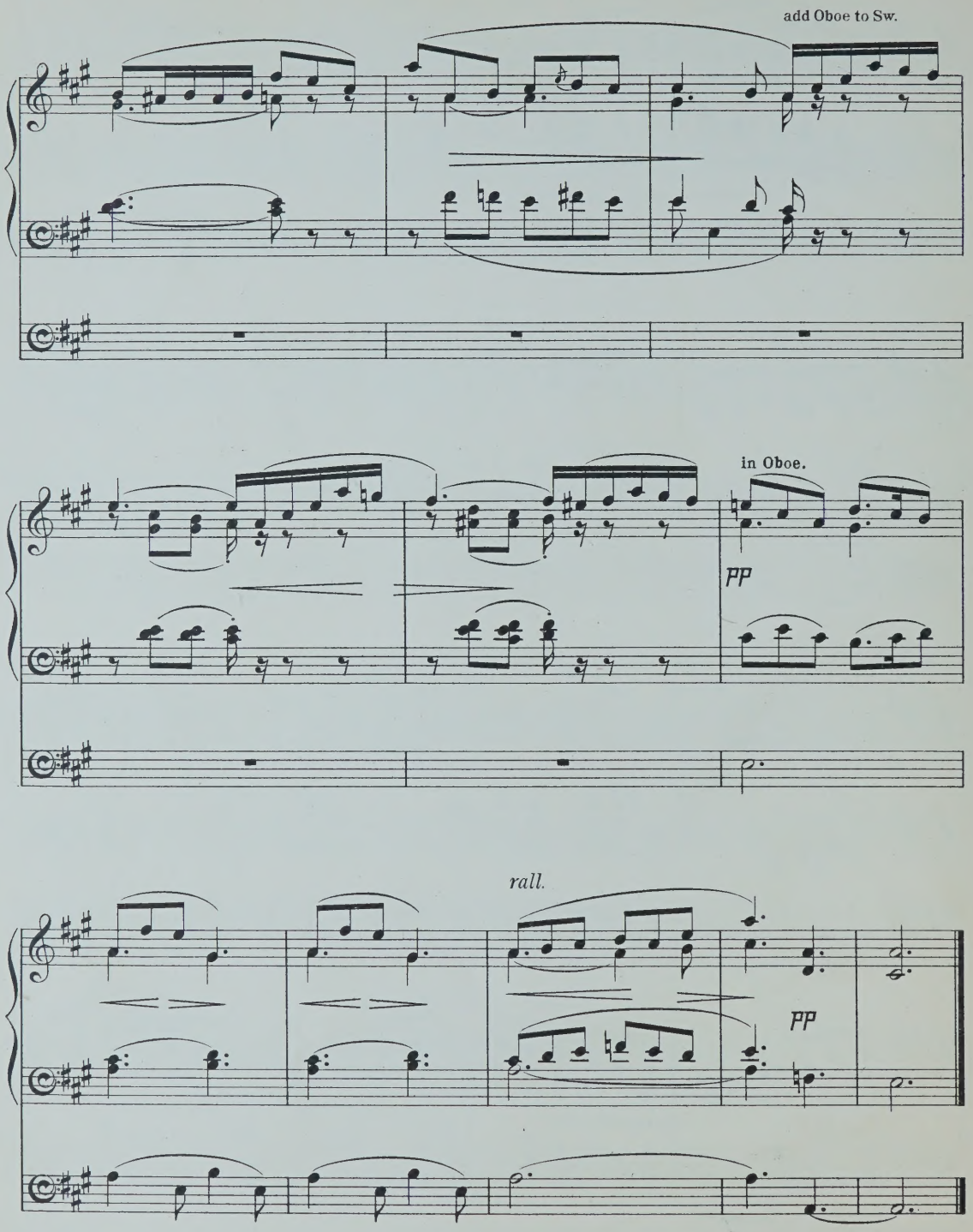
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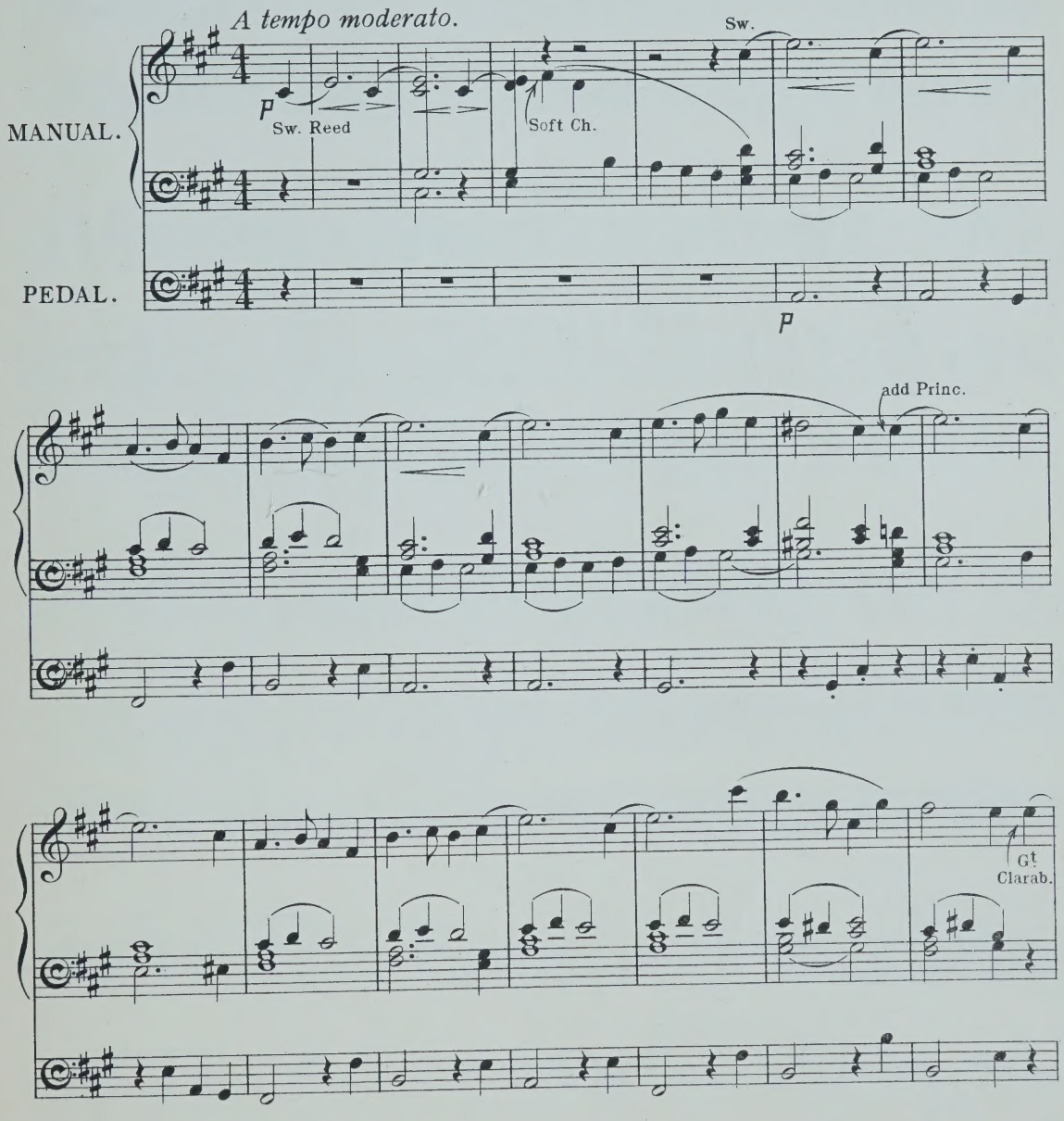
Romance in A.

E. Markham Lee.



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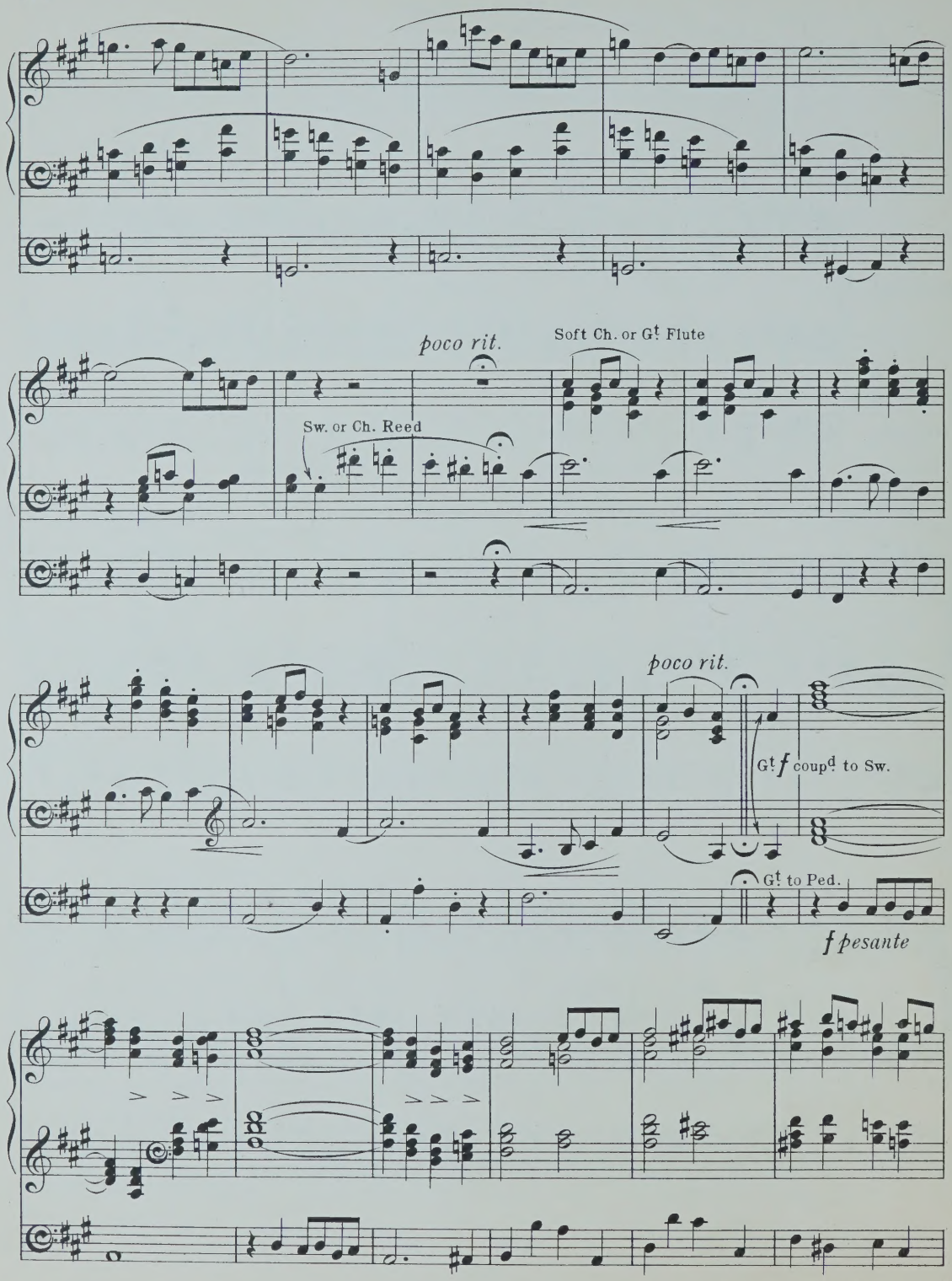
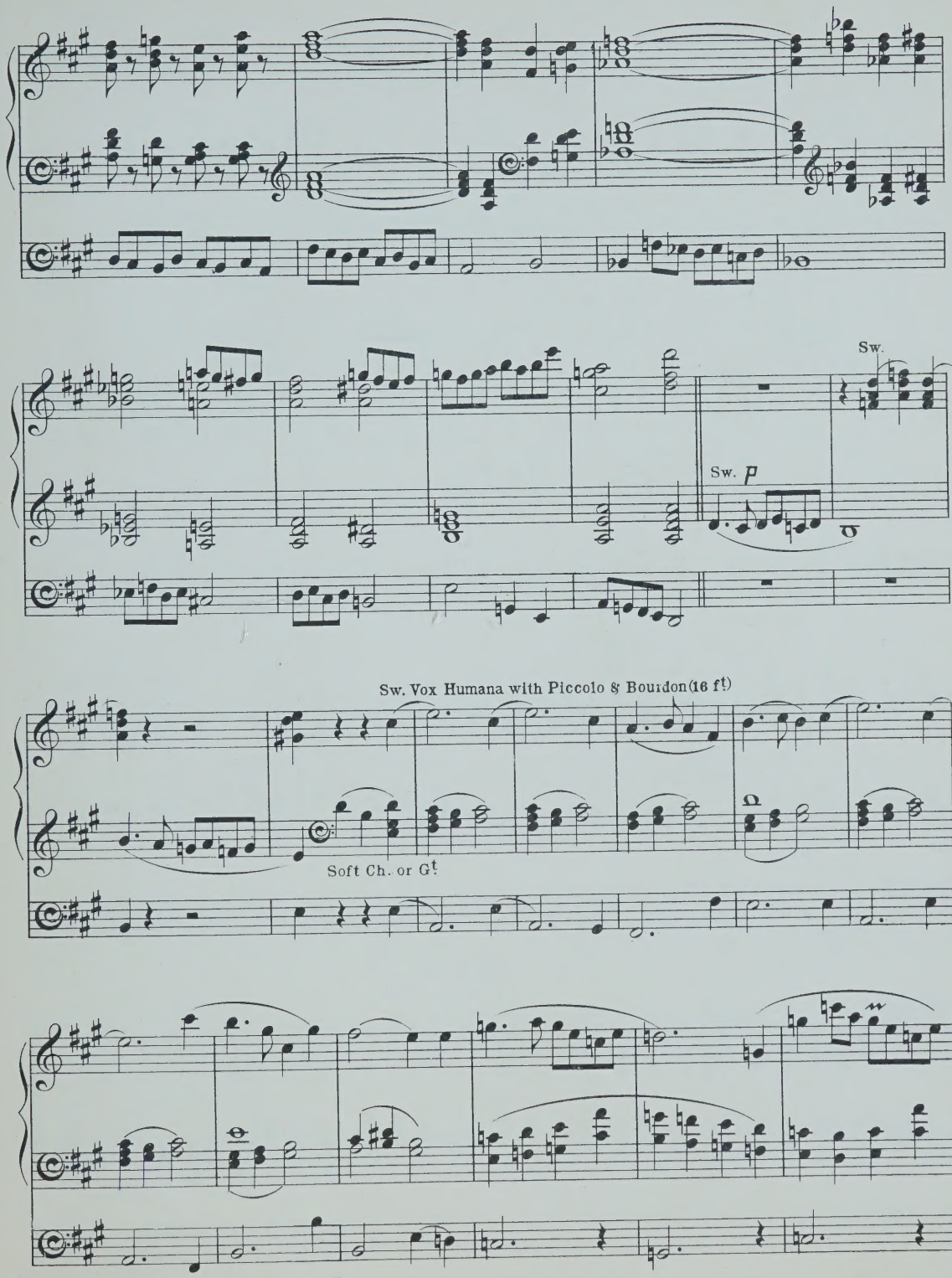
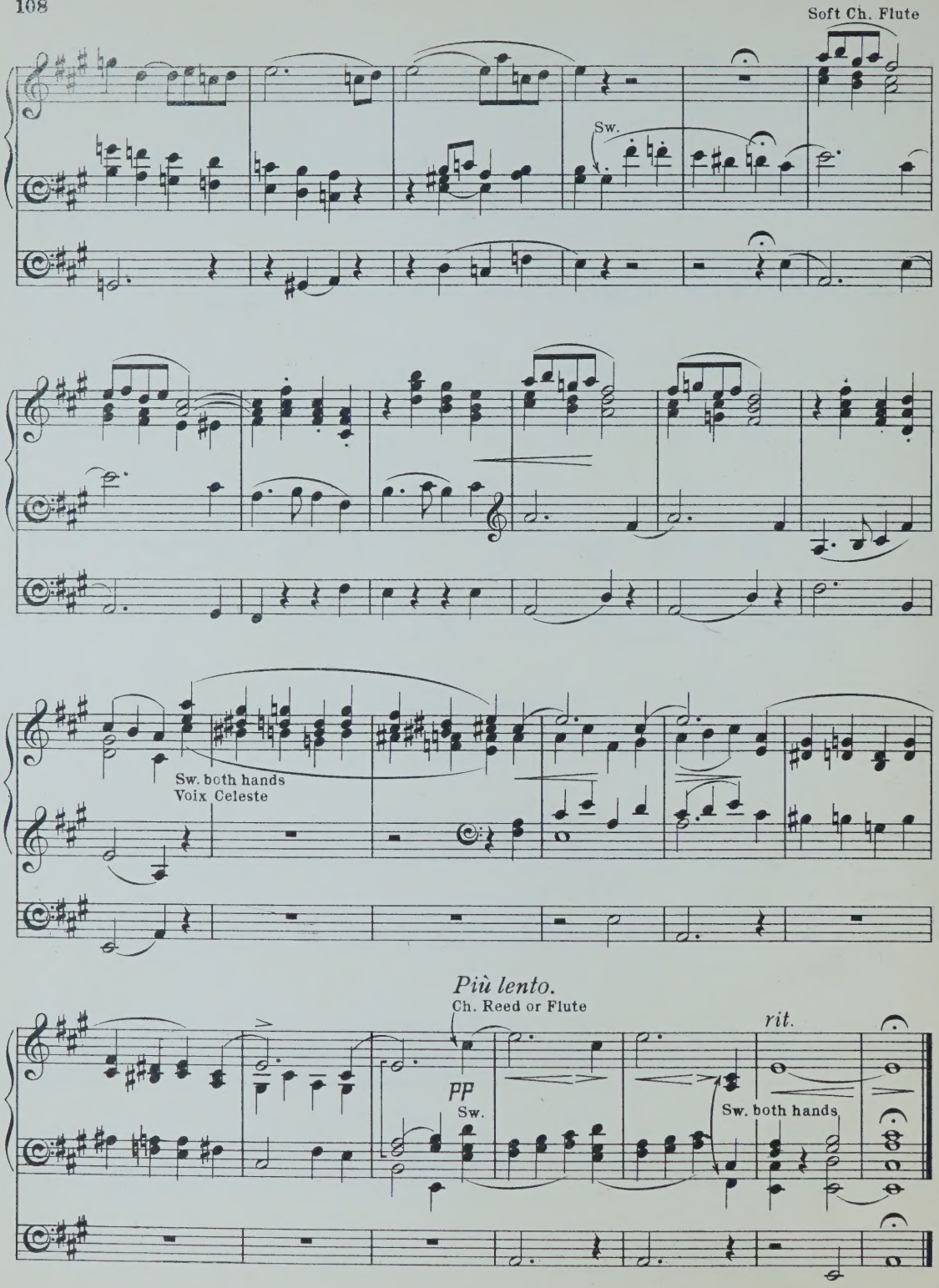

poco rit.
Soft Ch. or Gt Flute
Sw. or Ch. Reed
poco rit.
Gt f coupd to Sw.
Gt to Ped.
f pesante

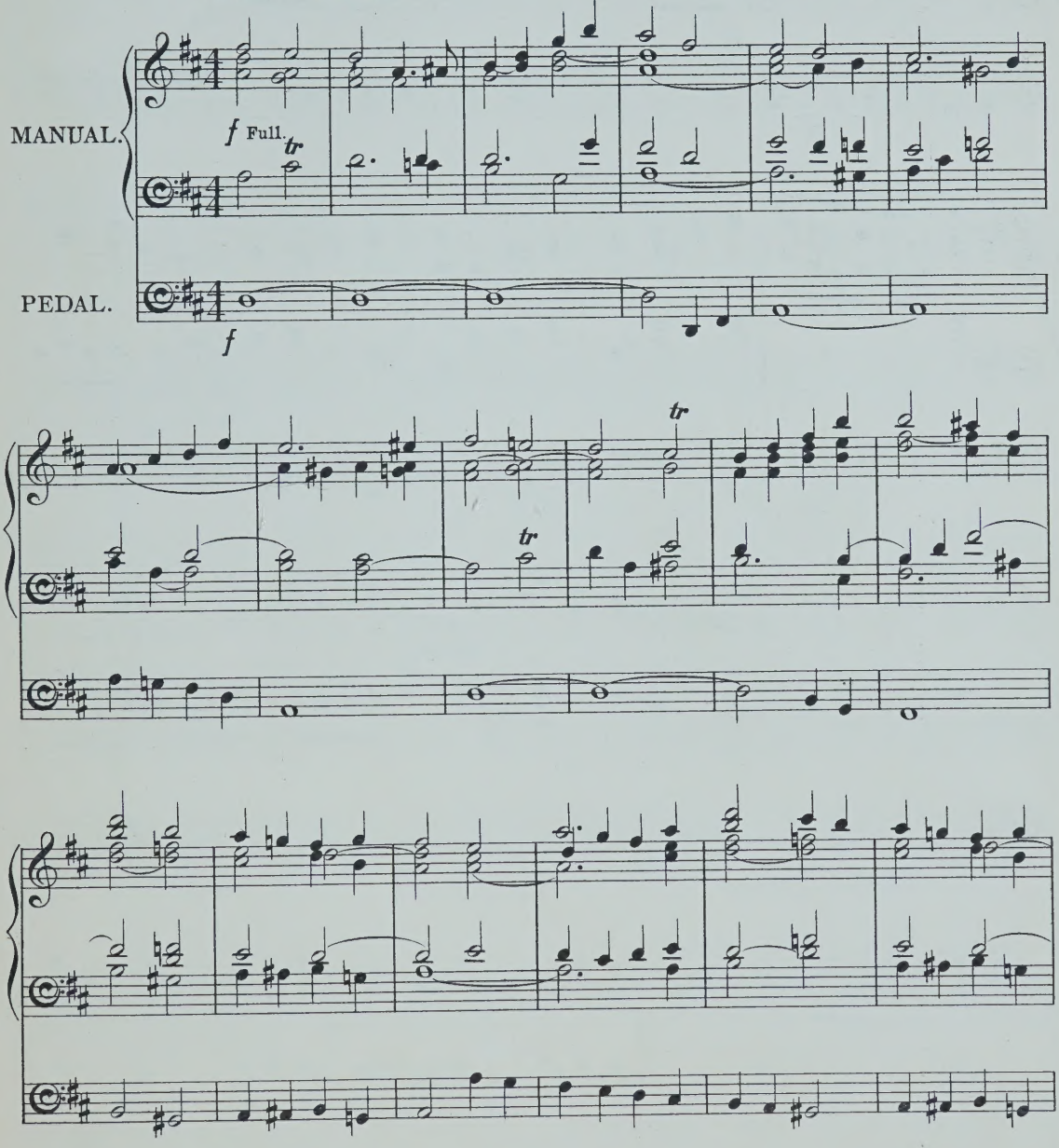

Sw.
Sw. p
Sw. Vox Humana with Piccolo & Bourdon(16 ft)
Soft Ch. or Gt


Soft Ch. Flute
Sw.
Sw. both hands
Voix Celeste
Più lento.
Ch. Reed or Flute
rit.
PP
Sw.
Sw. both hands

Postludium in D major.

Gustav Merkel.

Maestoso. (♩=144.)



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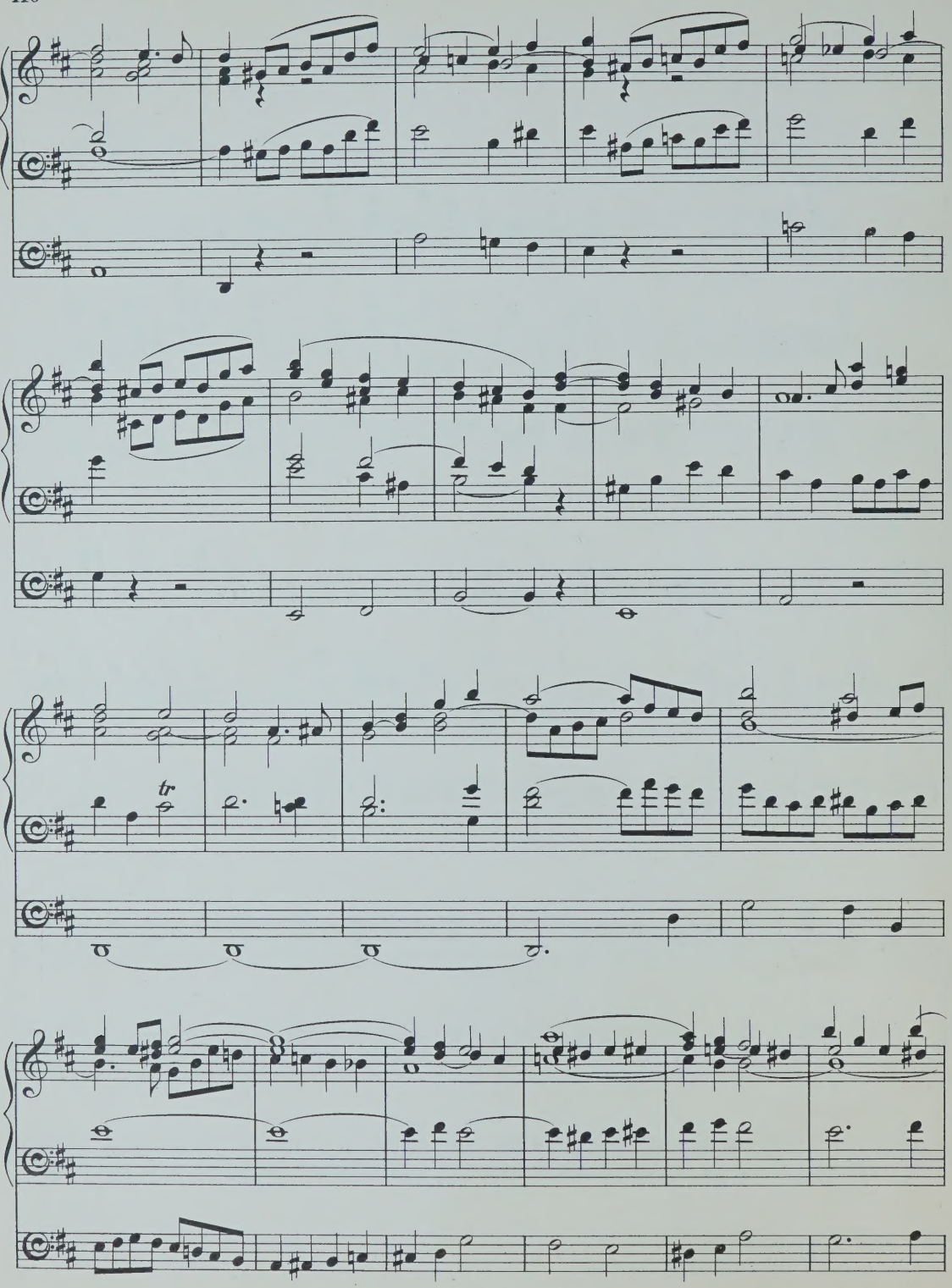
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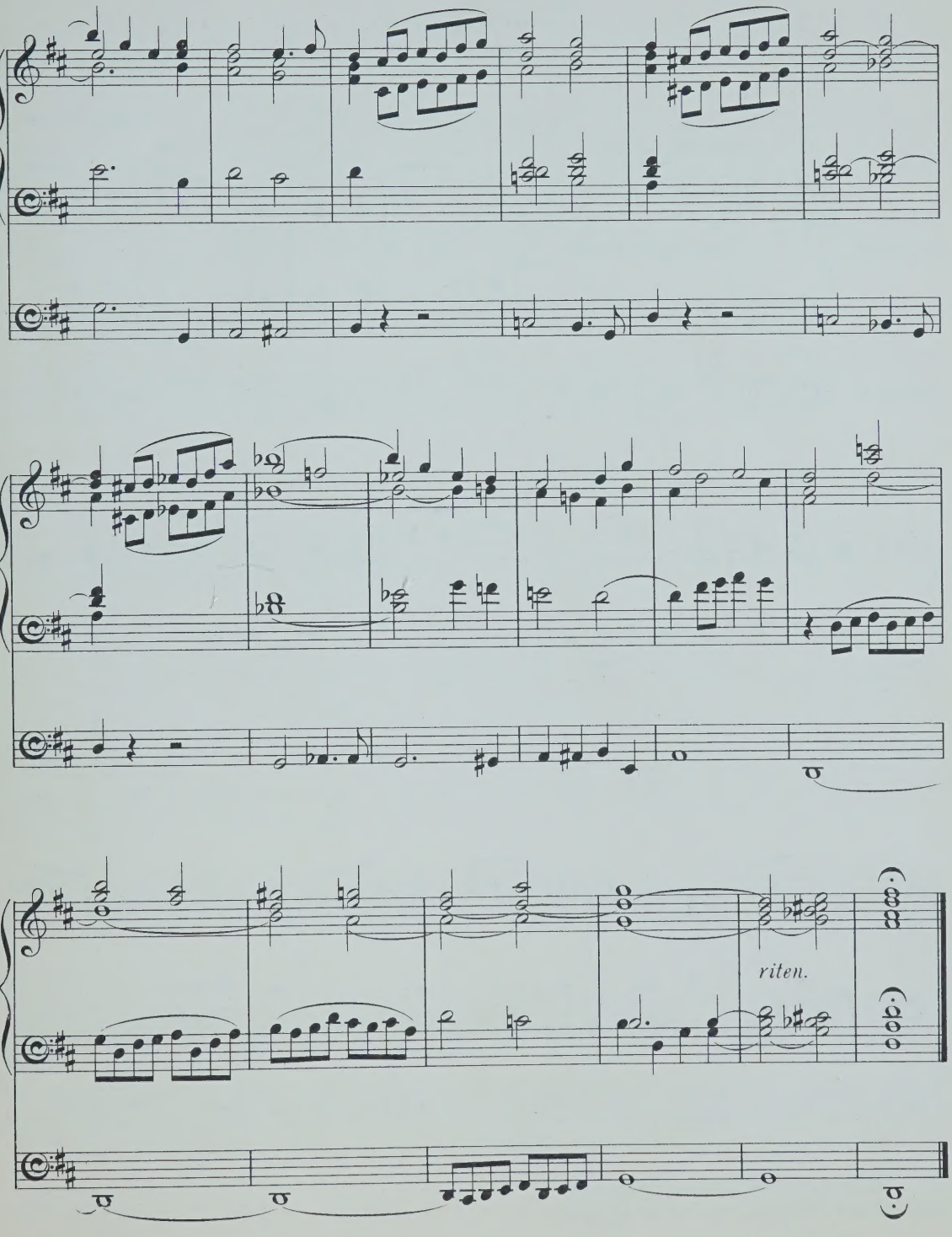
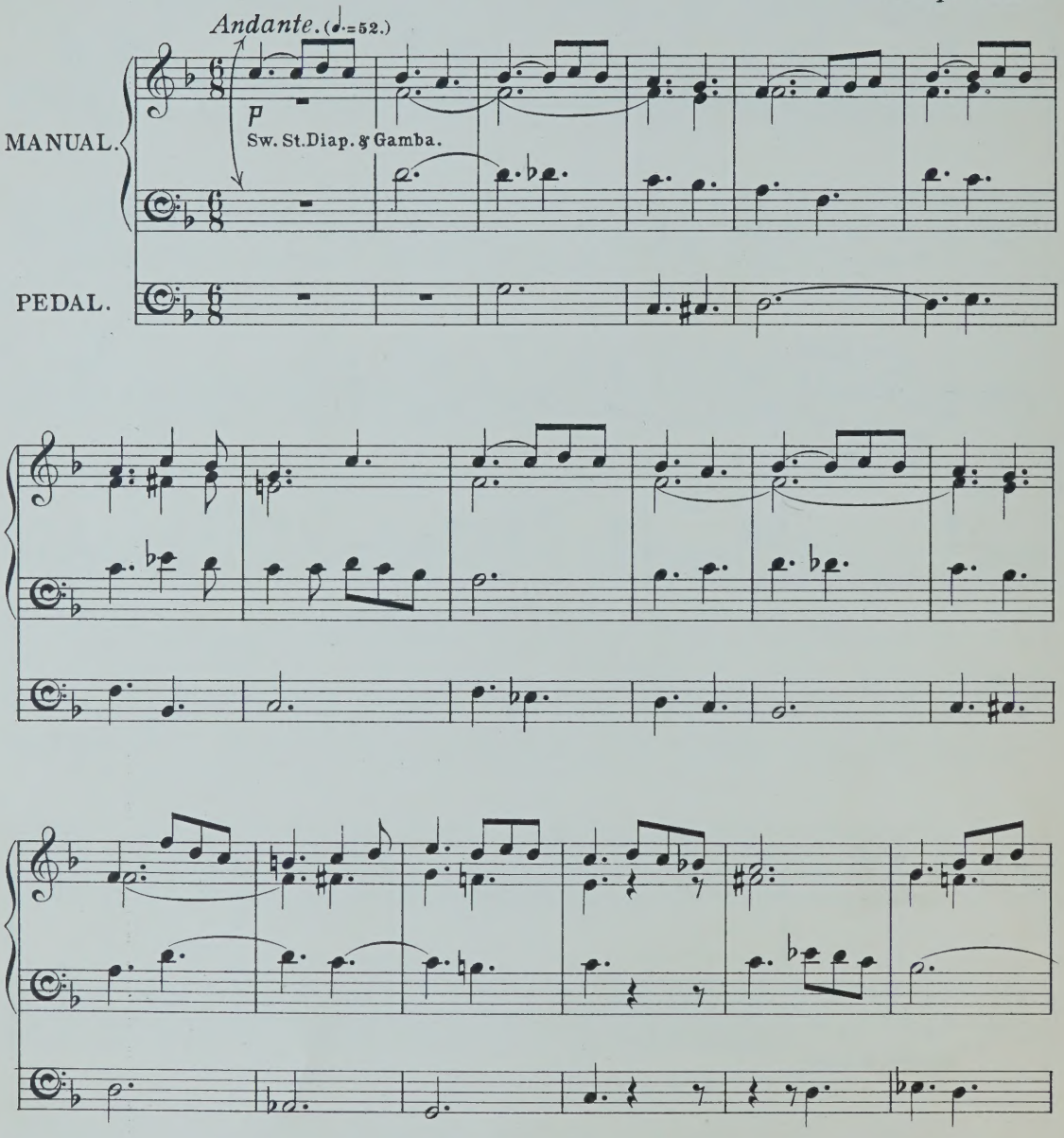

riten.

Andante in F.

Adolph Hesse.



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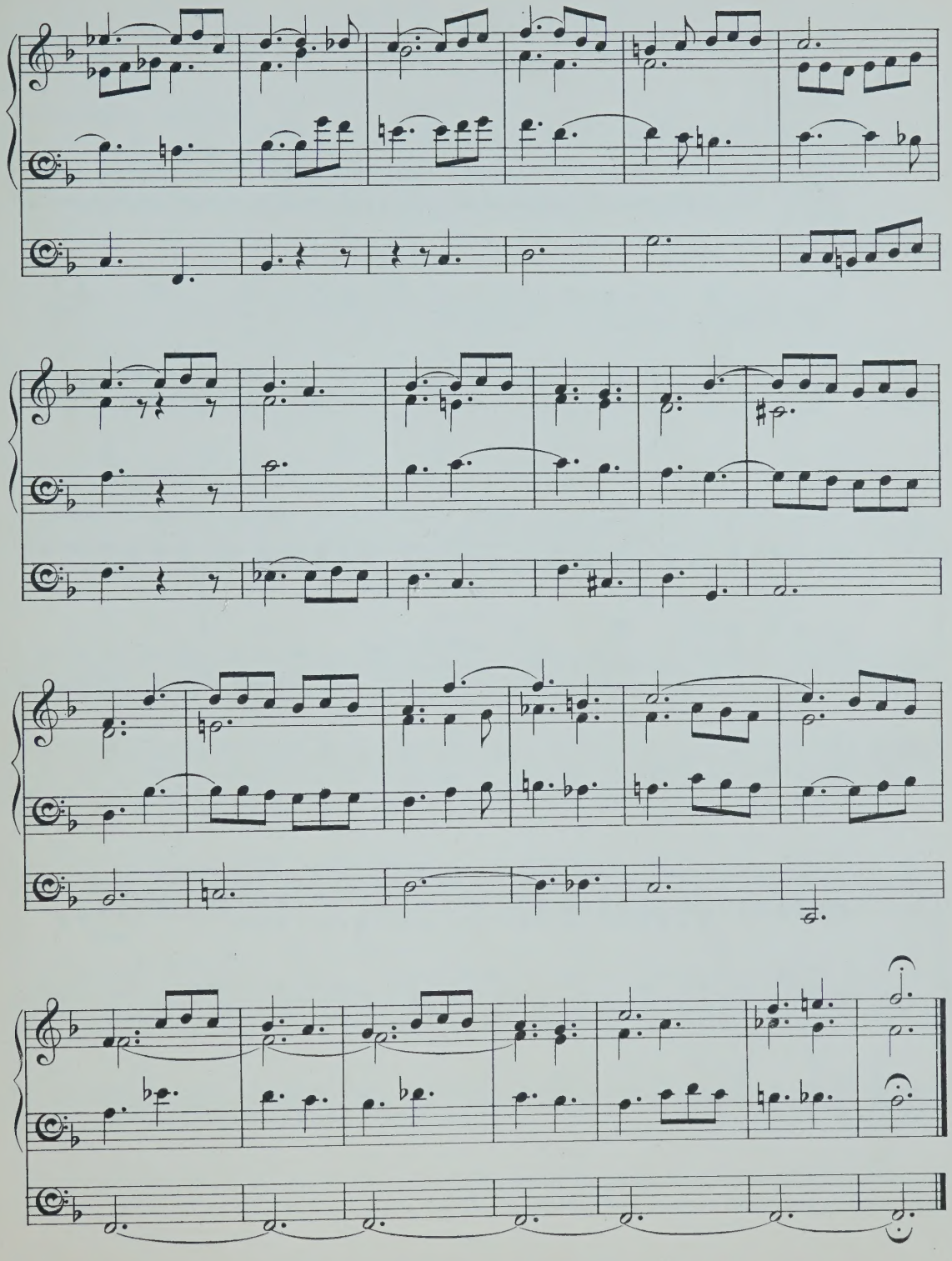
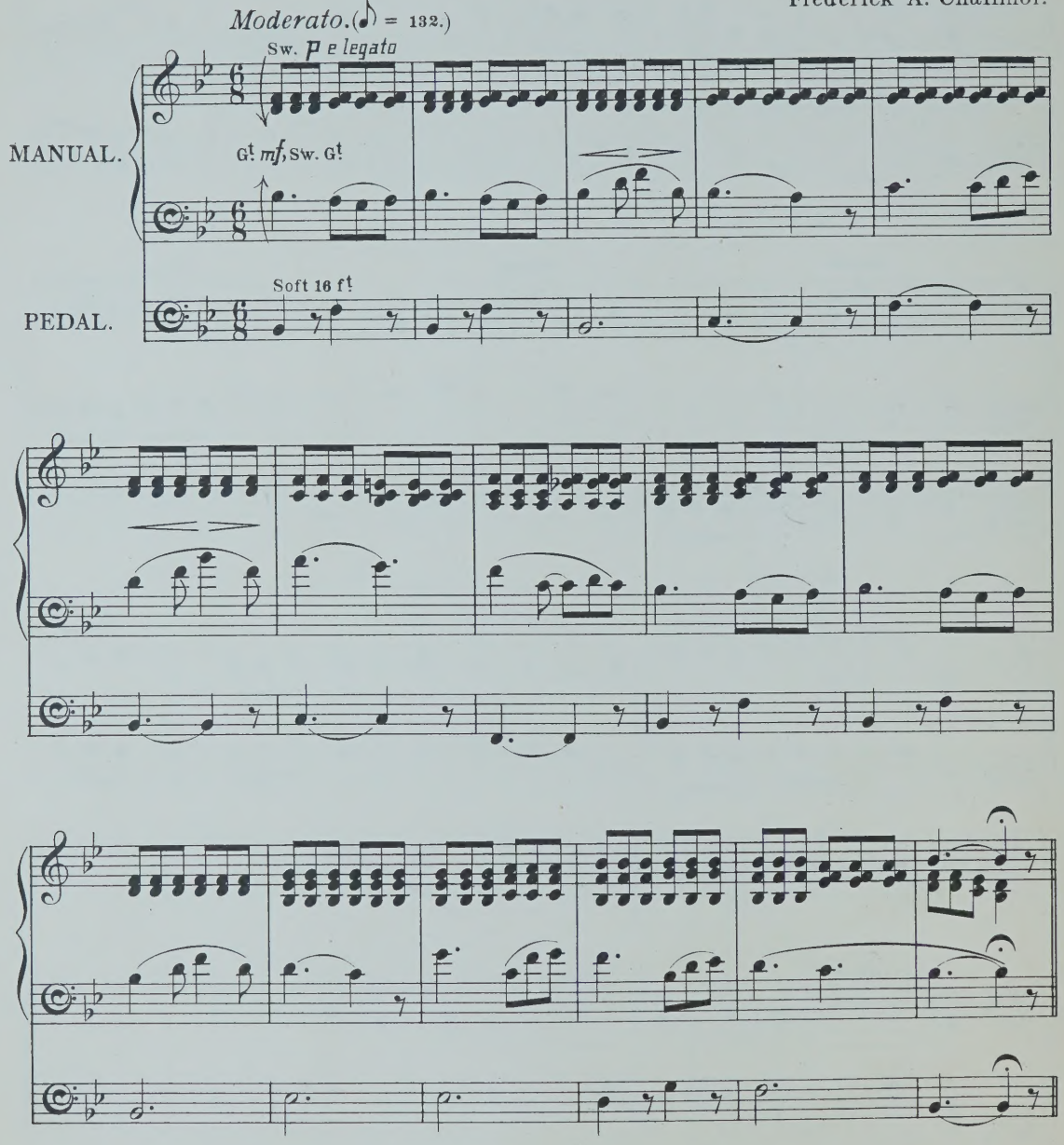


Pastorella in B flat.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Frederick A. Challinor.



Time taken in performance (with repeat) about 3 minutes.
Two Manuals and Pedals required for this piece.

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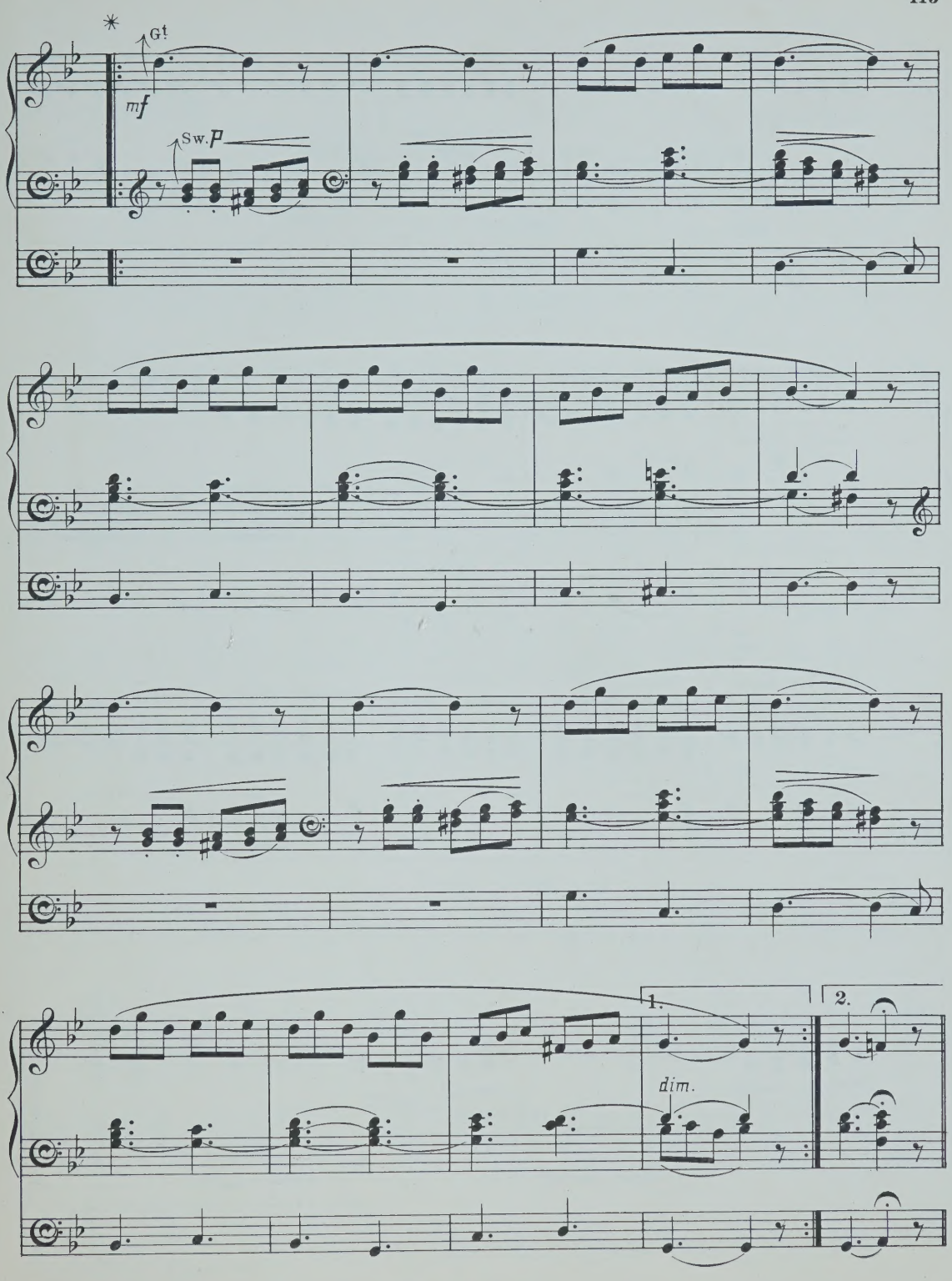

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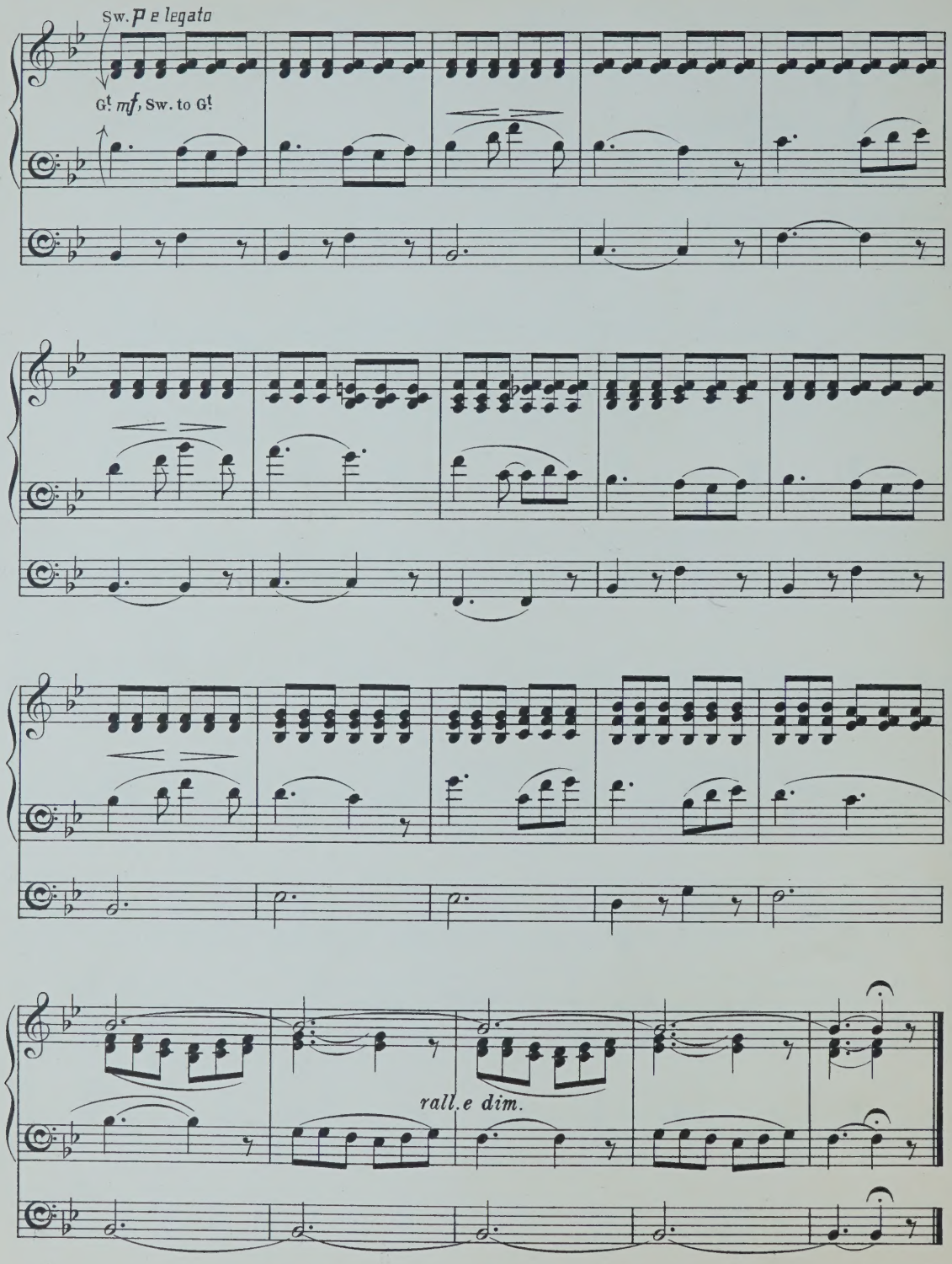
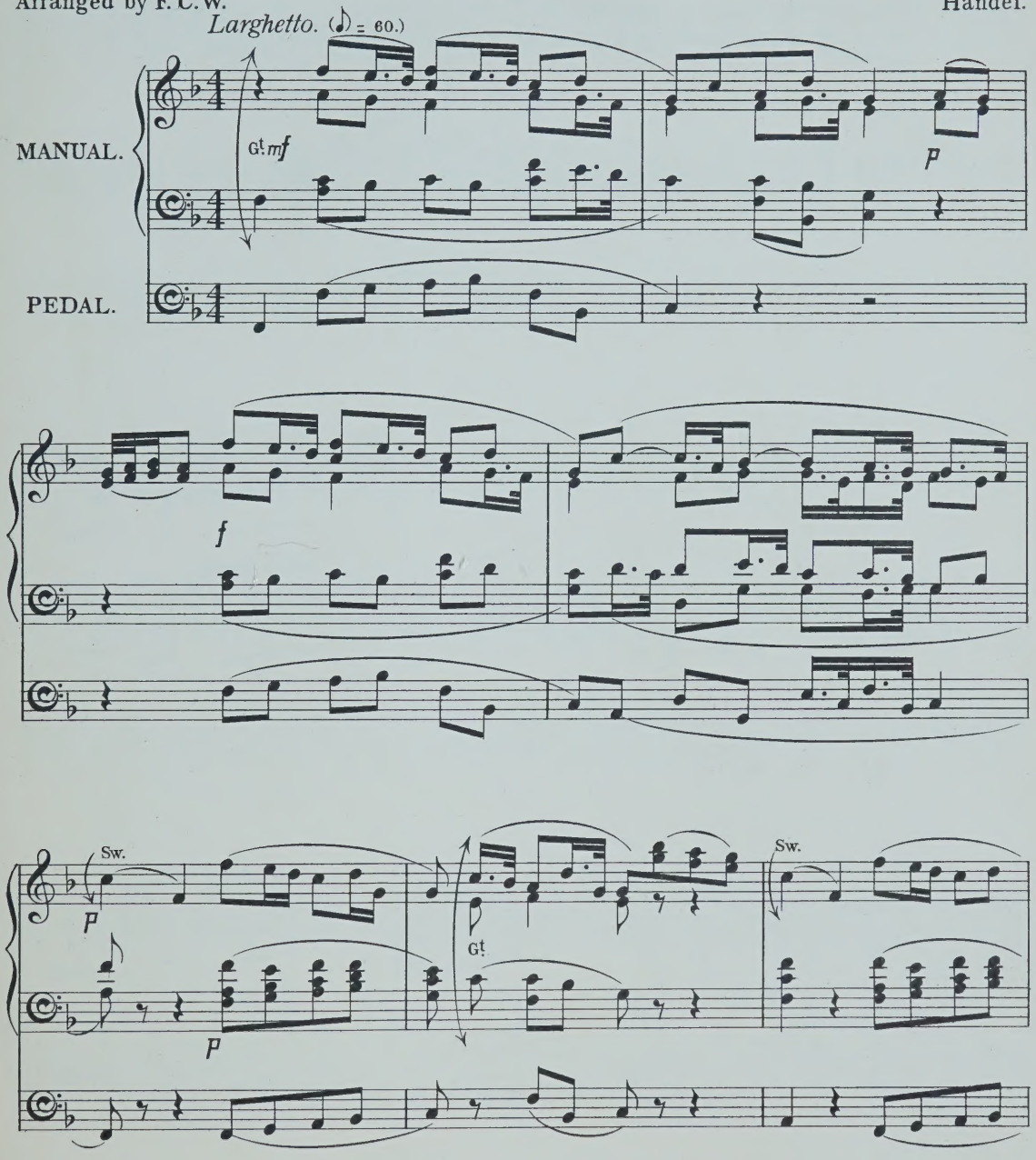

Sw. p e legato
G! mf, Sw. to G!
rall.e dim.

Angels, ever bright and fair.

FROM "THEODORA."

Arranged by F. C. W. Handel.



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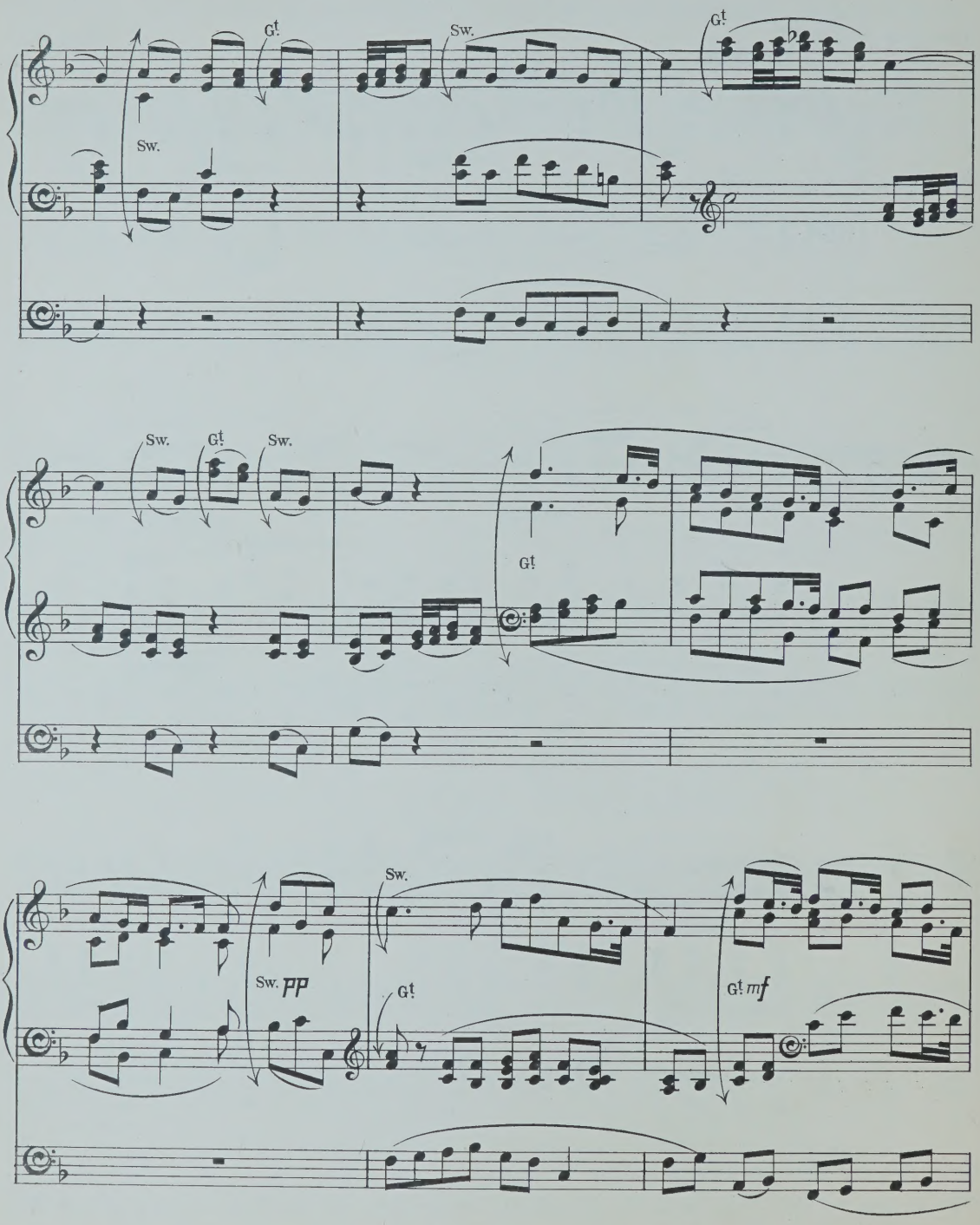
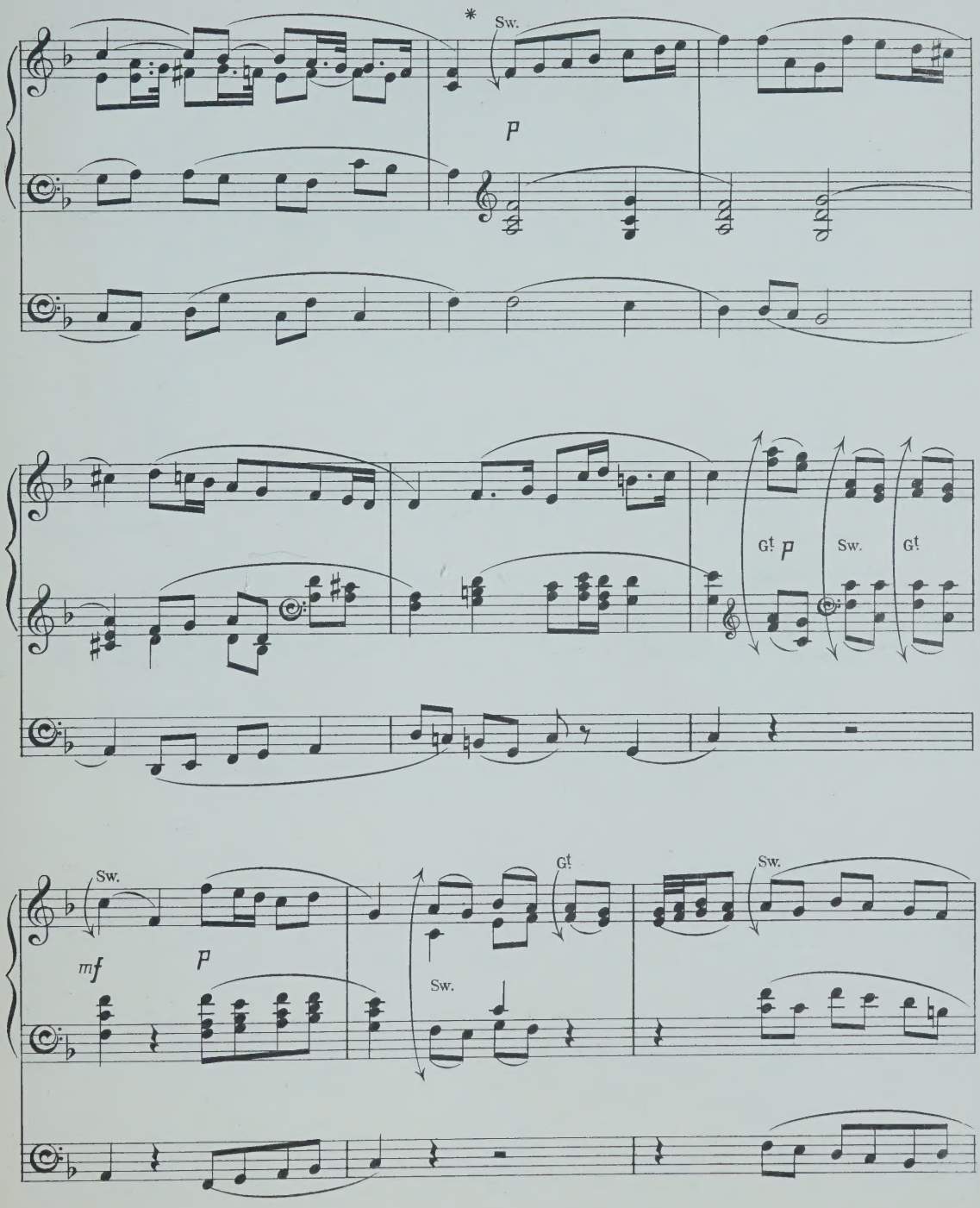

Gt.
Sw.
Gt.
Sw.
Sw.
Gt.
Sw.
Gt.
Sw.
Sw. PP
Gt.
Gt. mf



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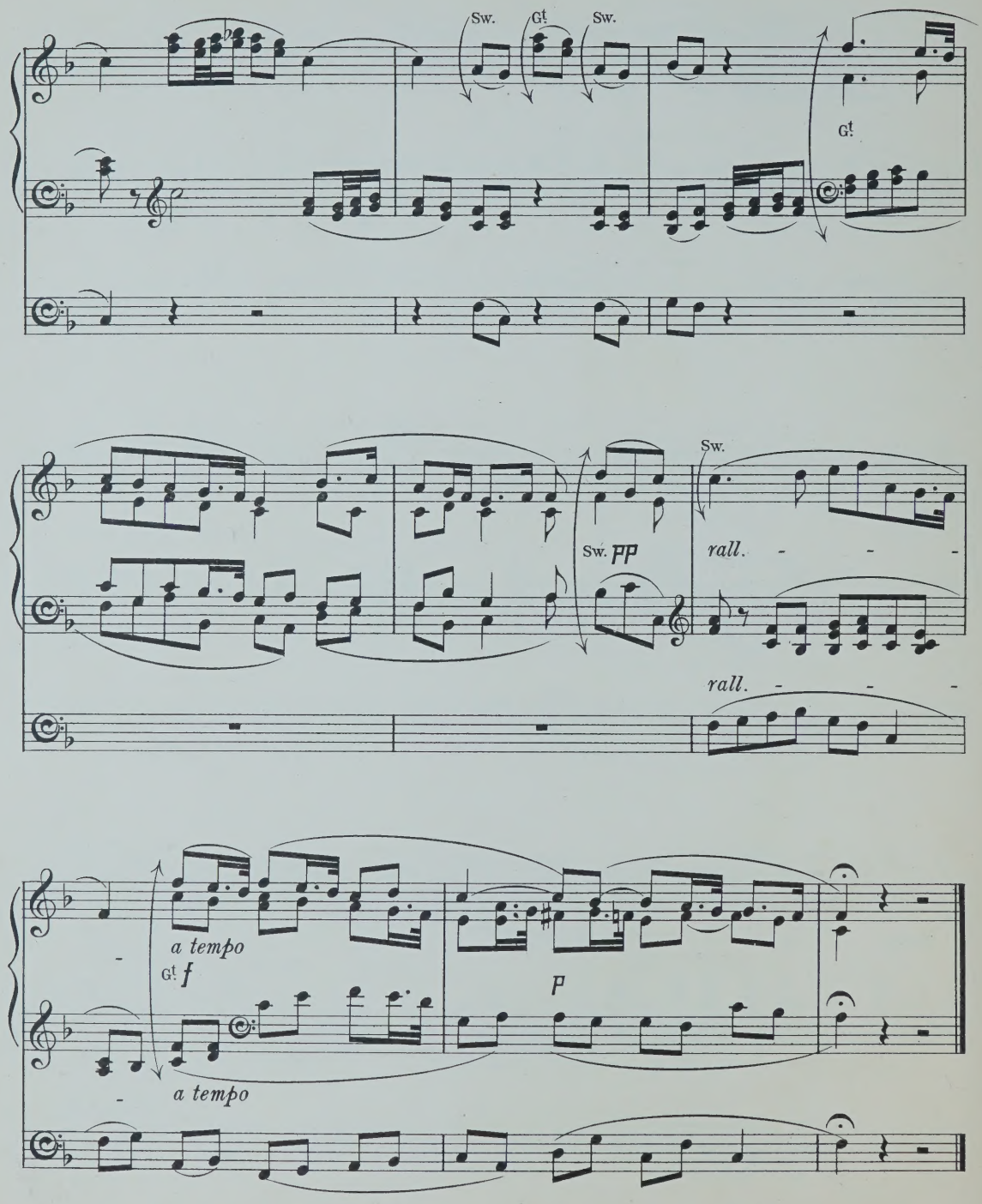
Sw.
Gt.
Sw.
Gt.
Sw.
pp
rall.
rall.
a tempo
Gt. f
a tempo
p

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THERE exists already an abundant supply of original compositions and arrangements suitable for performance on large and comprehensive organs, but the many organists who have only a small instrument at their disposal in country churches often have some difficulty in finding short and easy Voluntaries suitable for their own use and the instruction of their pupils. It is hoped that "The Village Organist" (which will be issued in shilling numbers) may supply this want, so much felt by that valuable and zealous class of church-workers to whom the work is inscribed. The Editors have endeavoured to bring together a collection of pieces which they trust will prove to be at once simple, without being uninteresting, and effective where the instrumental resources are limited.

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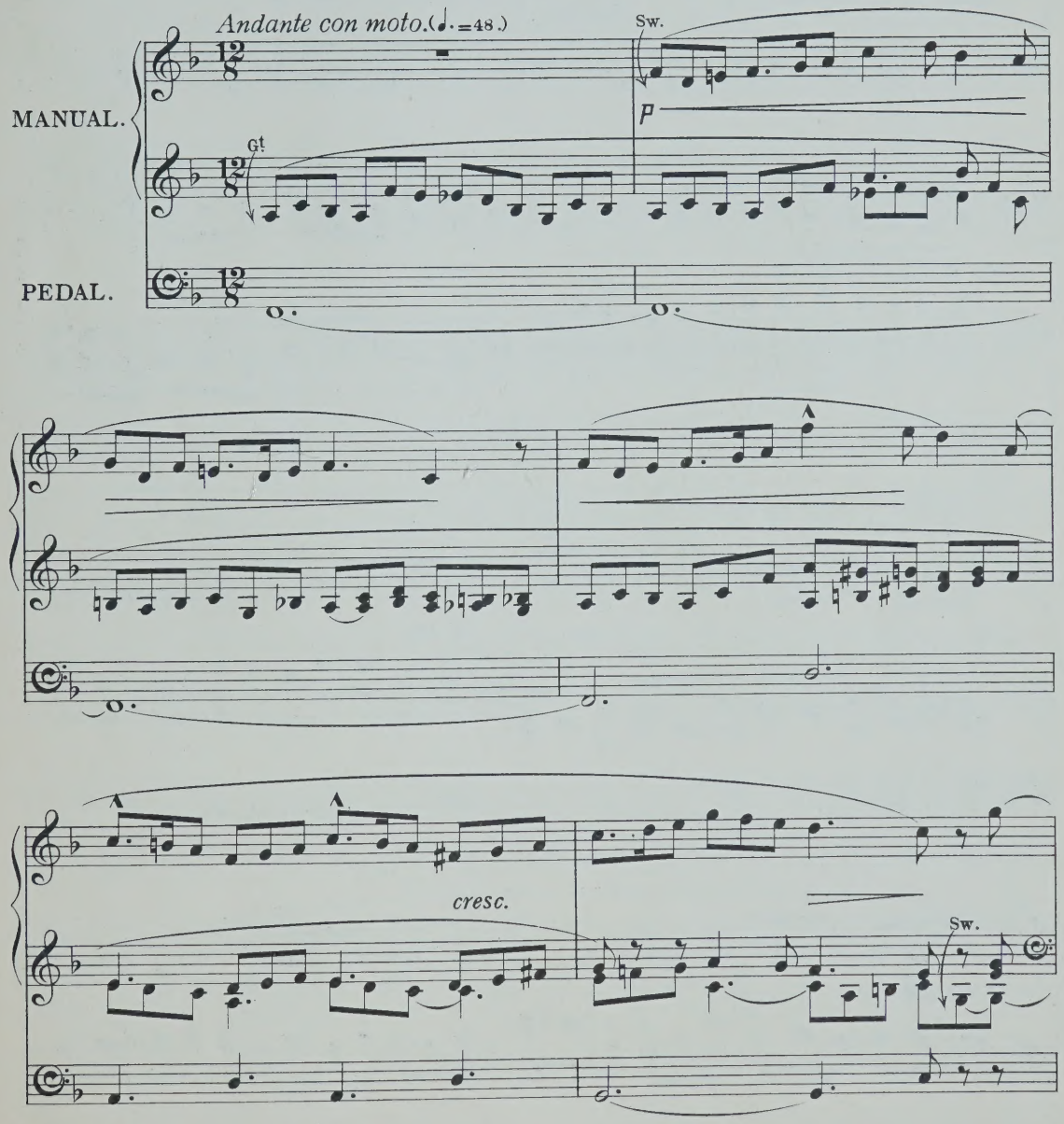
PASTORALE in F.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Sw. Soft 8 ft with Oboe
Gt Soft 8 ft
Ped. Soft 16 ft, Gt coupled

Alfred Hollins.



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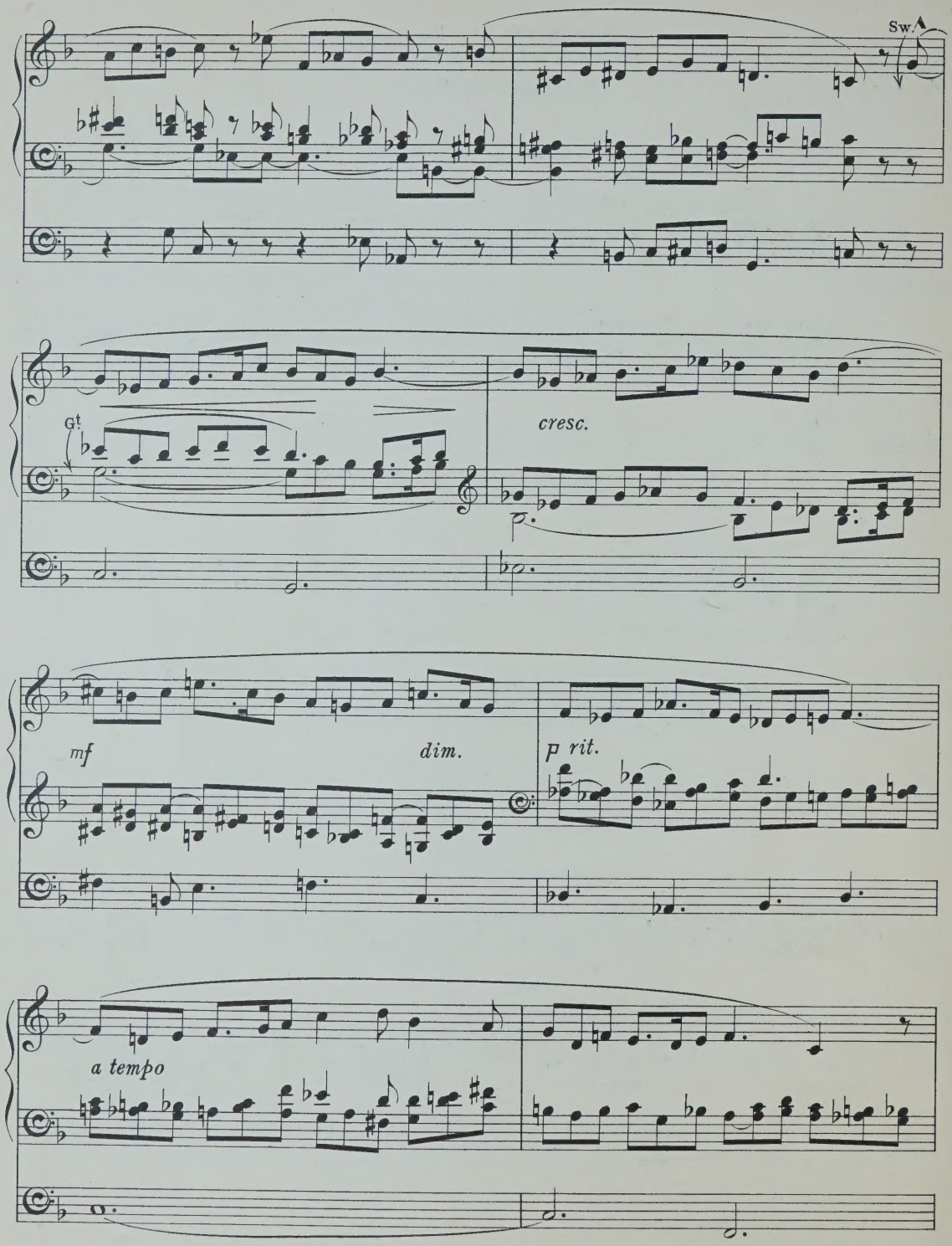
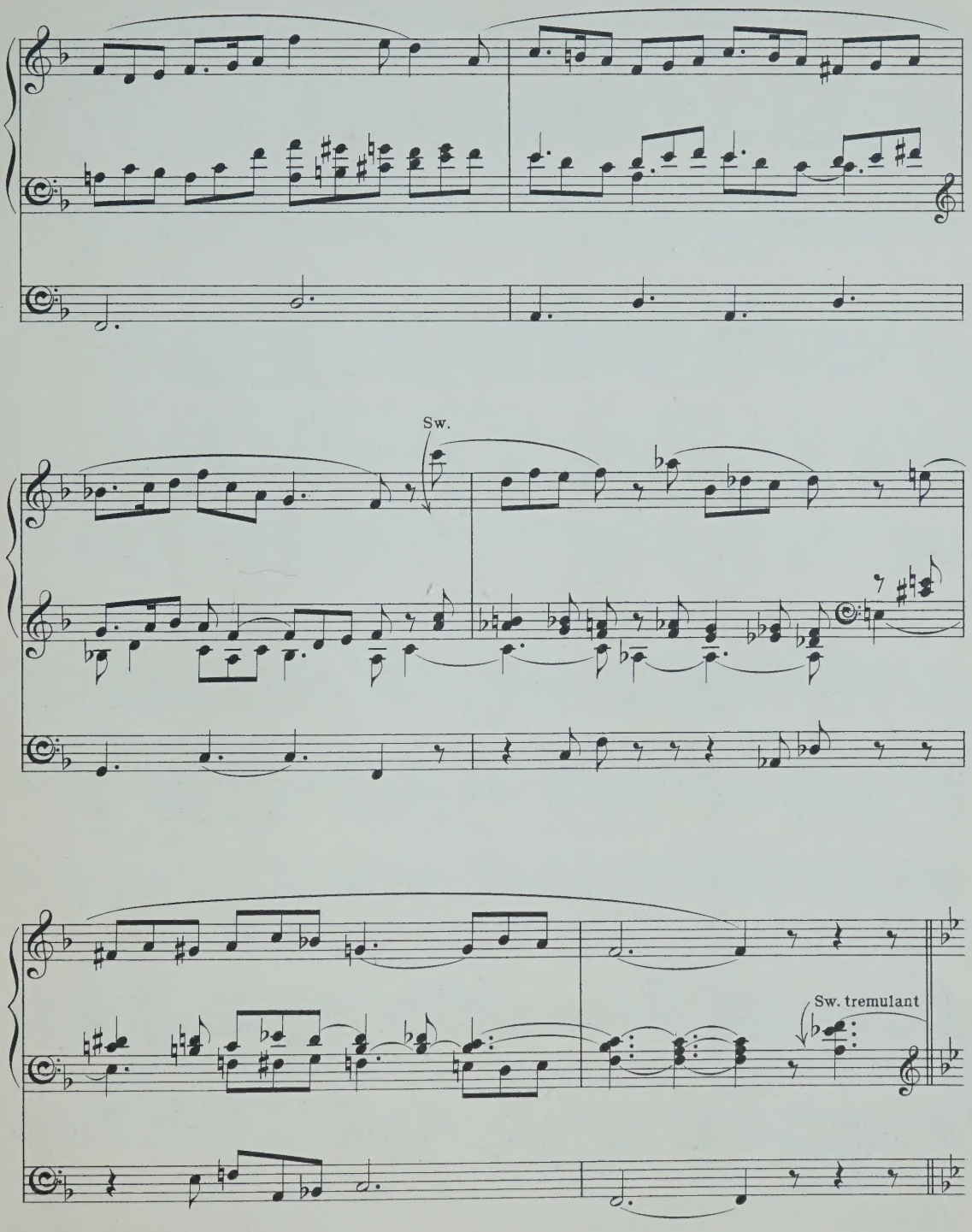
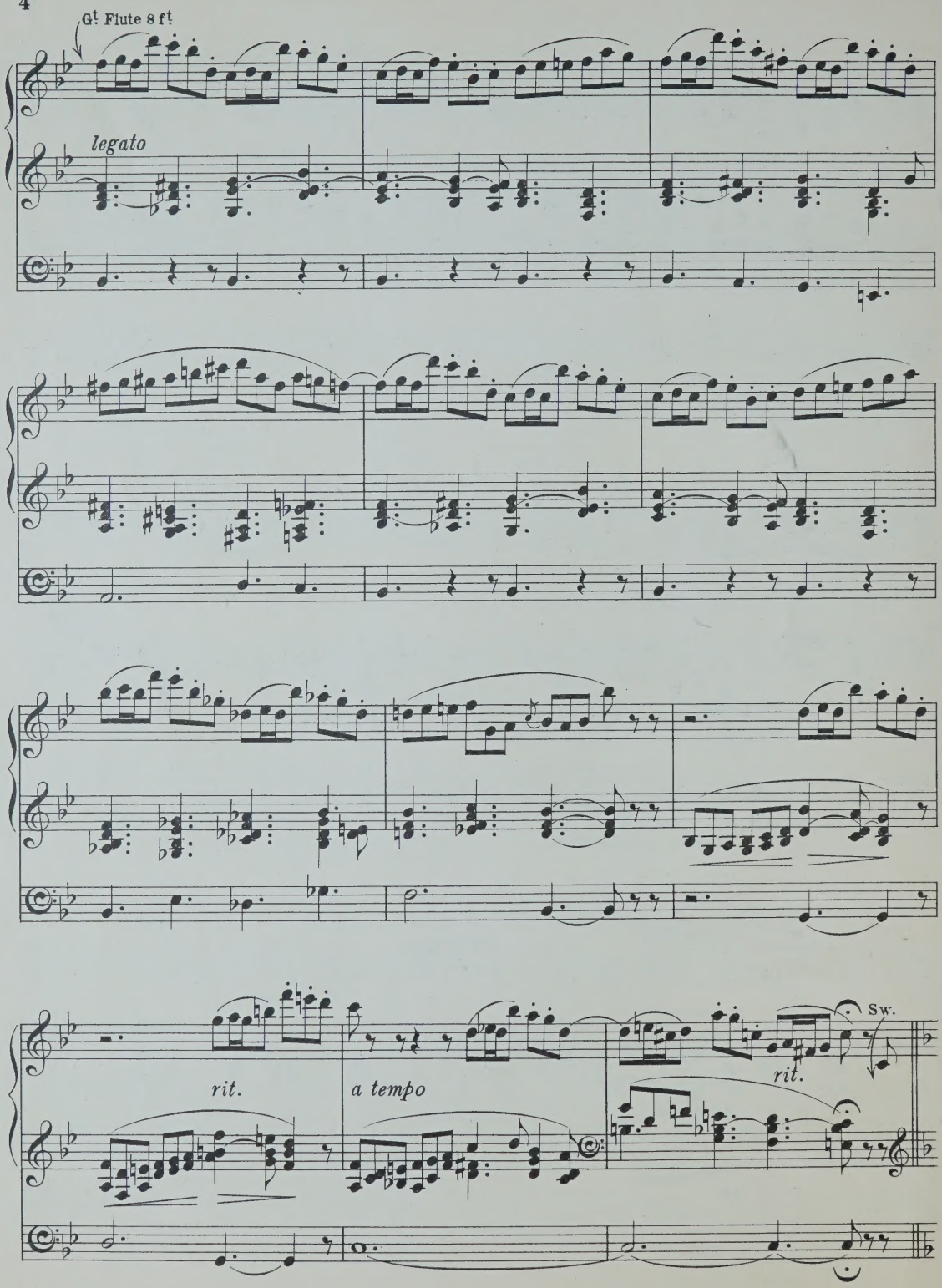
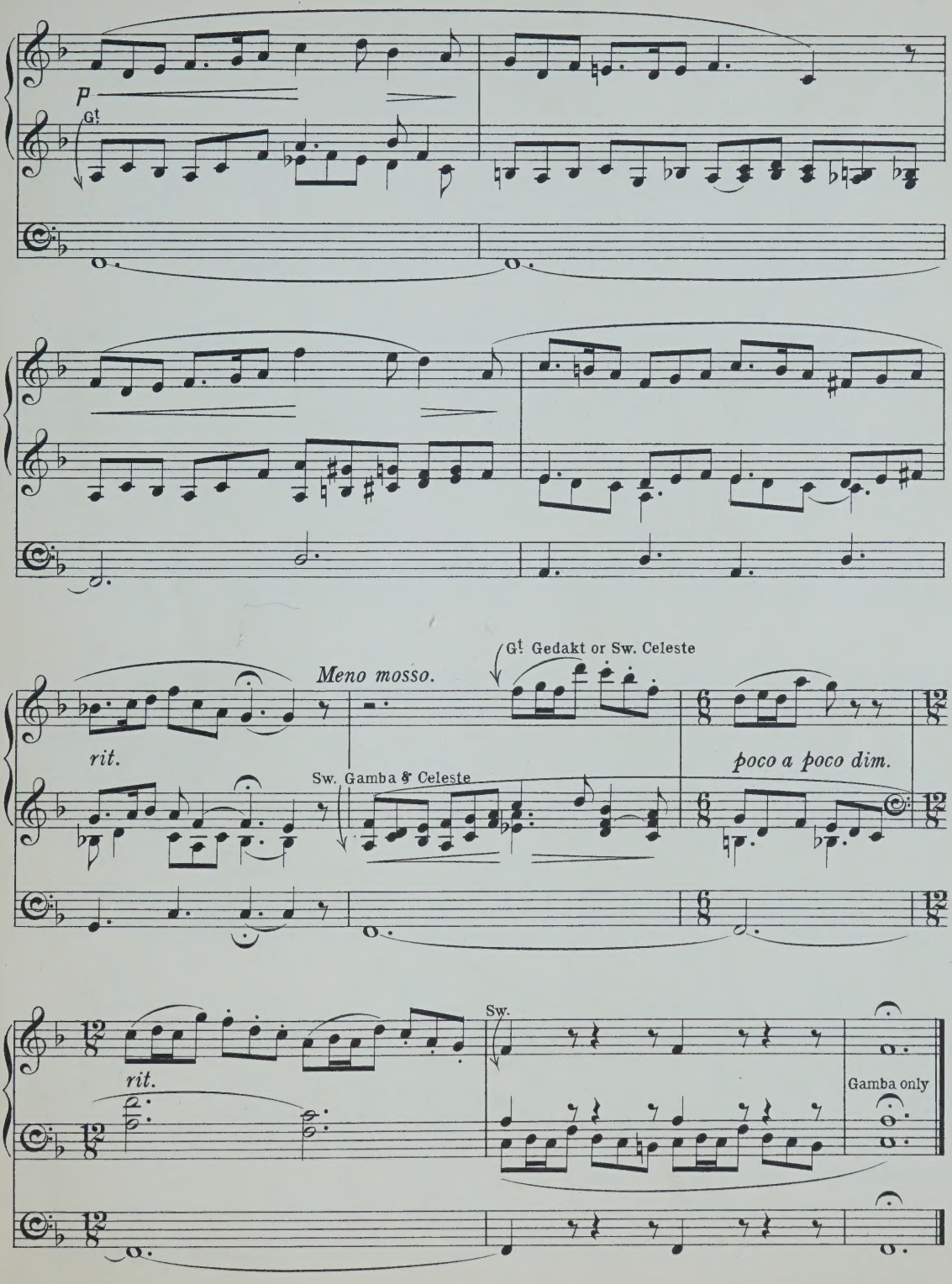

Sw.A
Gt
cresc.
mf
dim.
p rit.
a tempo


Sw.
Sw. tremulant


G! Flute 8 ft
legato
rit.
a tempo
rit.
Sw.

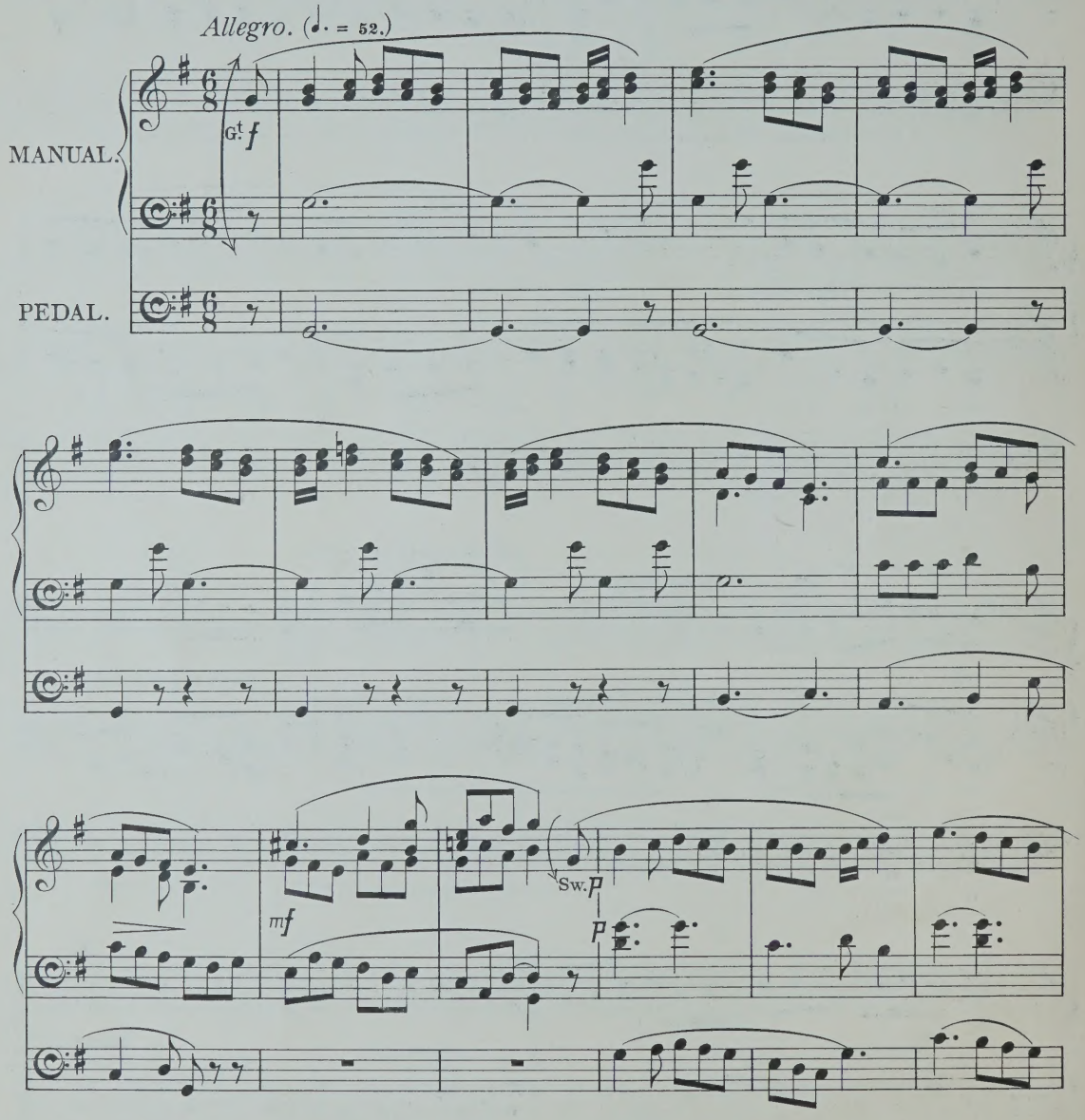

P
Gt.
Meno mosso.
Gt. Gedakt or Sw. Celeste
rit.
Sw. Gamba & Celeste
poco a poco dim.
rit.
Sw.
Gamba only

O Lovely Peace.

FROM "JUDAS MACCABÆUS."

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Arranged by F. C. W. Handel.



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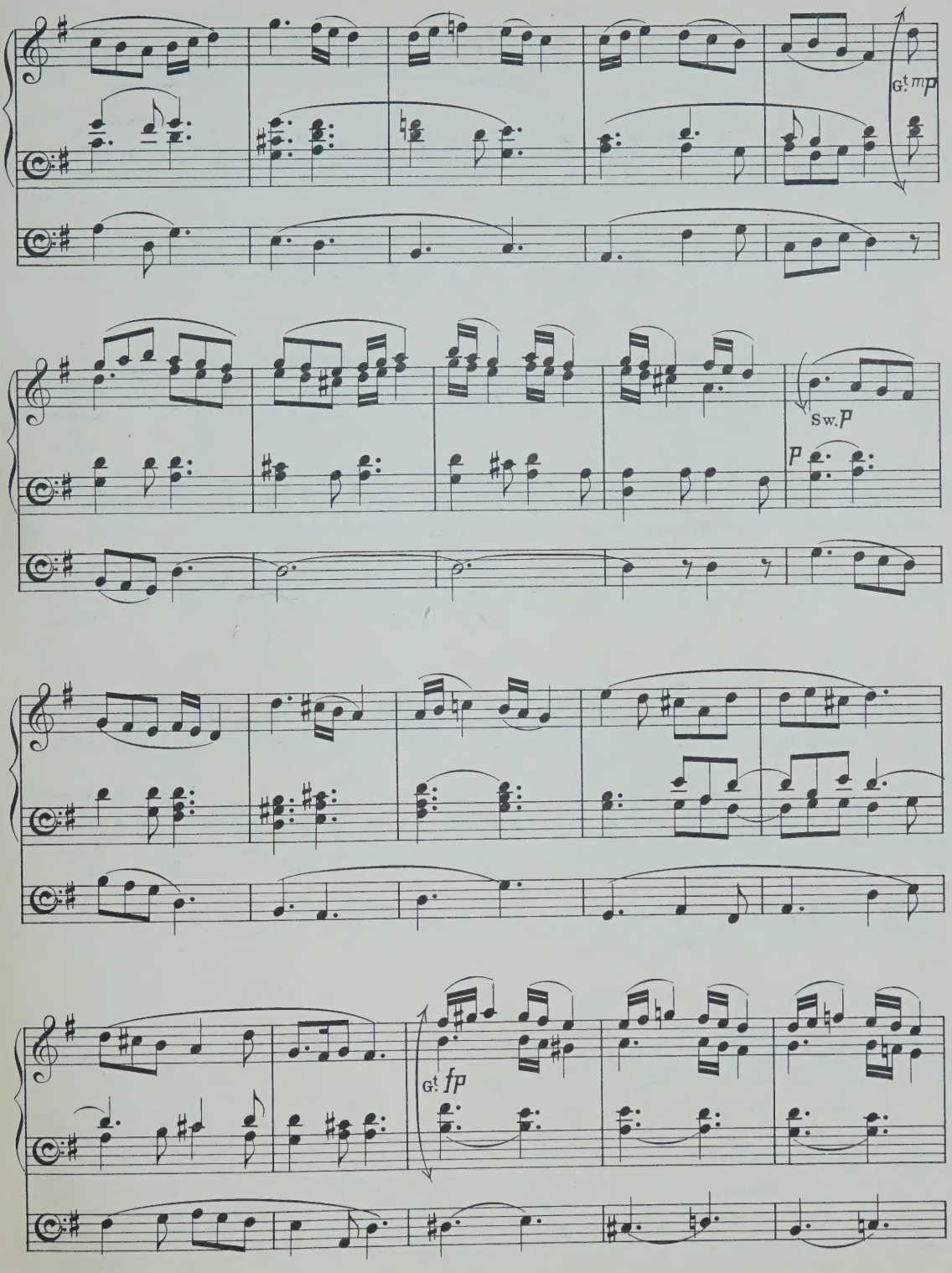
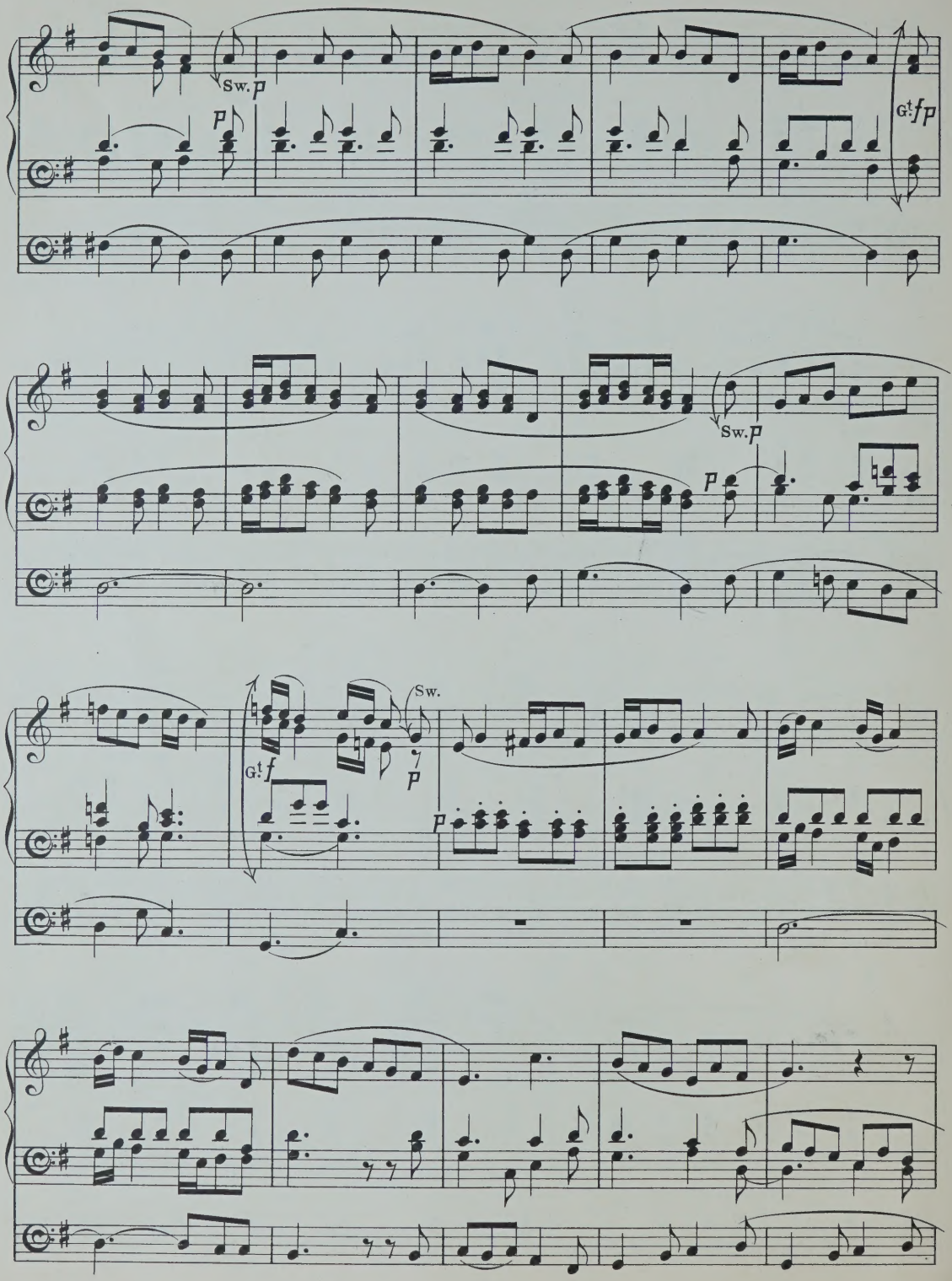
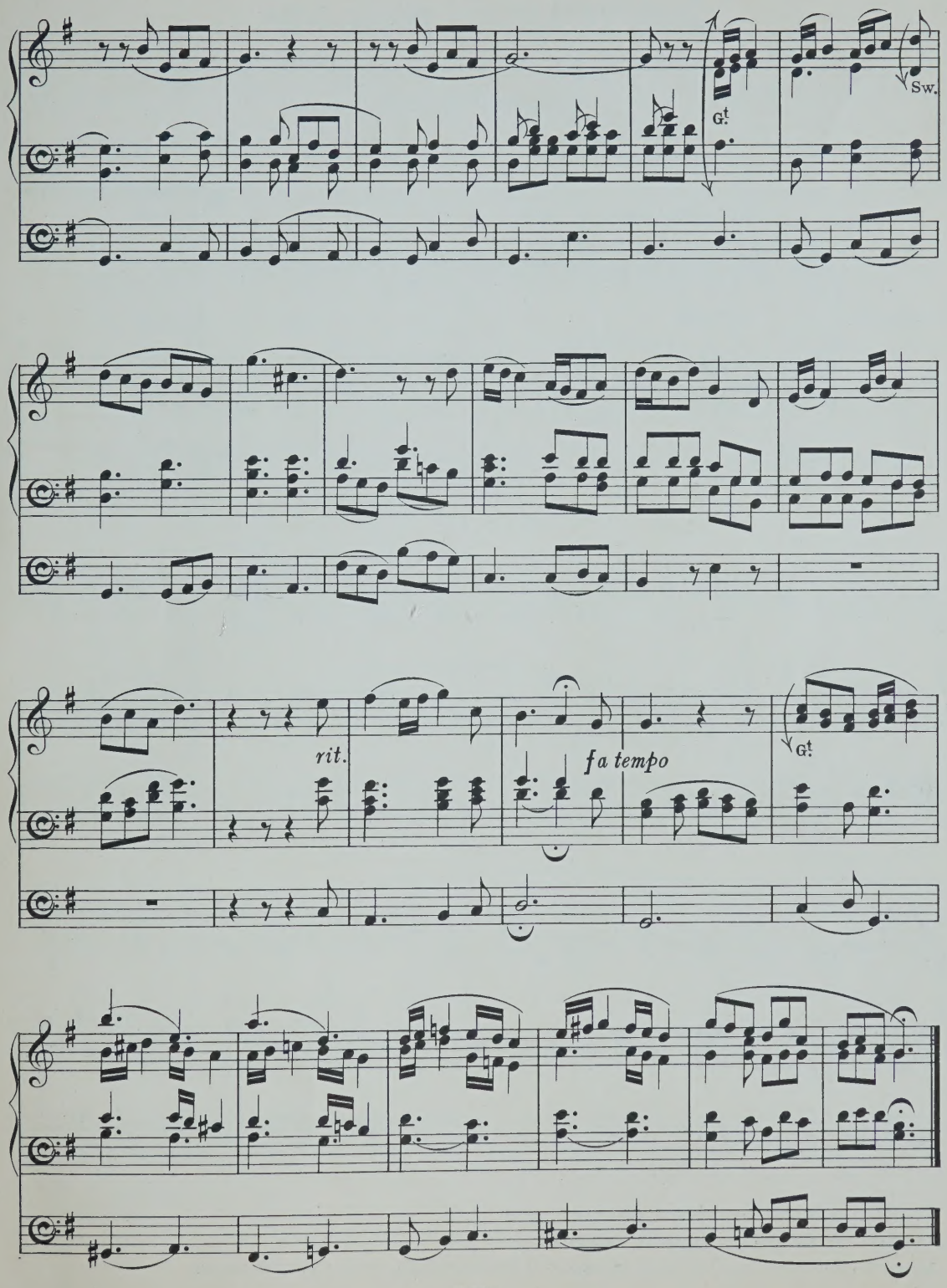

G: mp
Sw. p
p
G: fp


Sw. p
p
G! fp
Sw. p
p
Sw.
G! f
p
p

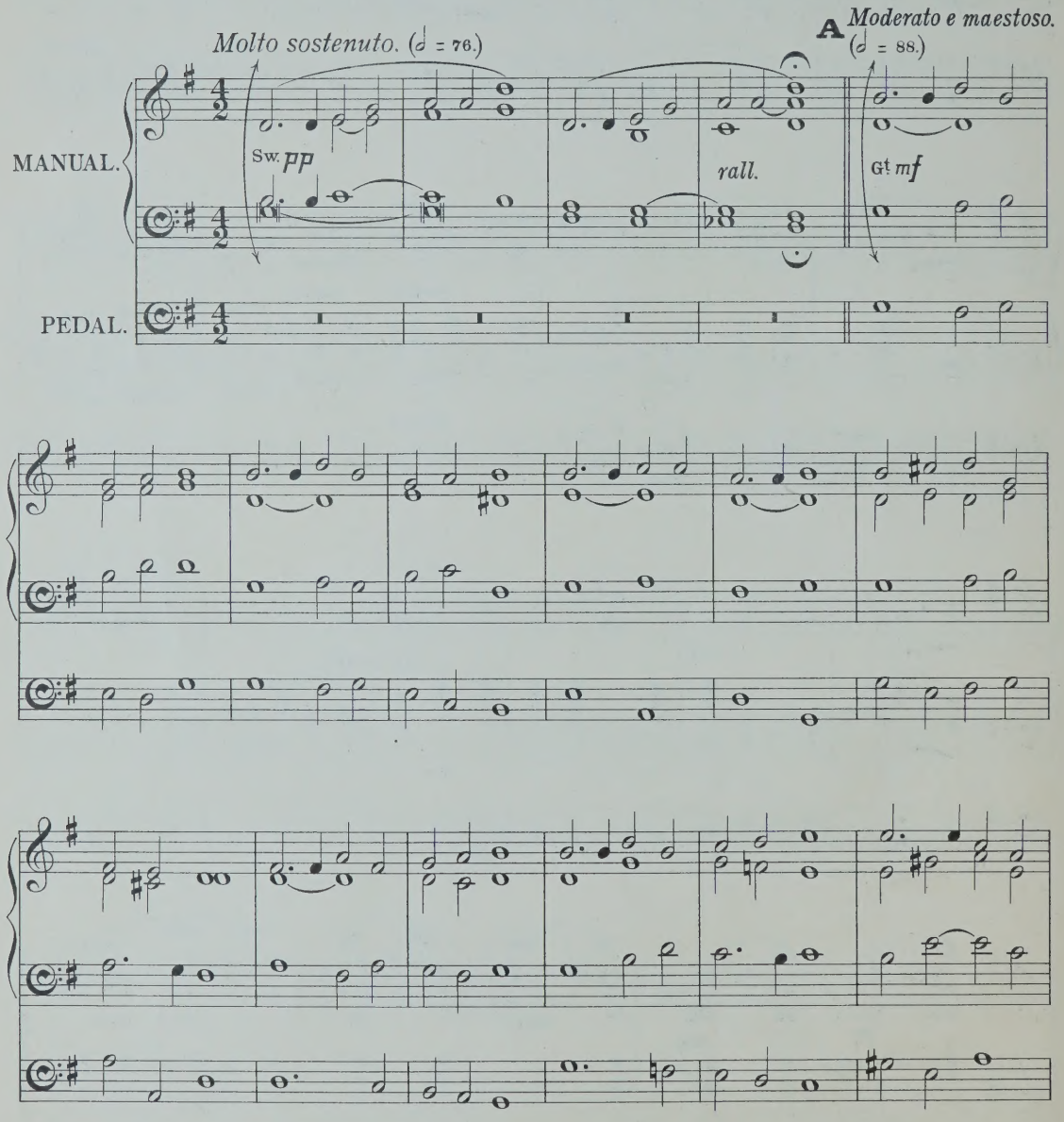

Sw.
G!
rit.
fa tempo
G!

Come, ye thankful people, come.

VARIATIONS on ELVEY'S TUNE "ST GEORGE."

(Concluding Voluntary.)

F. Cunningham Woods.



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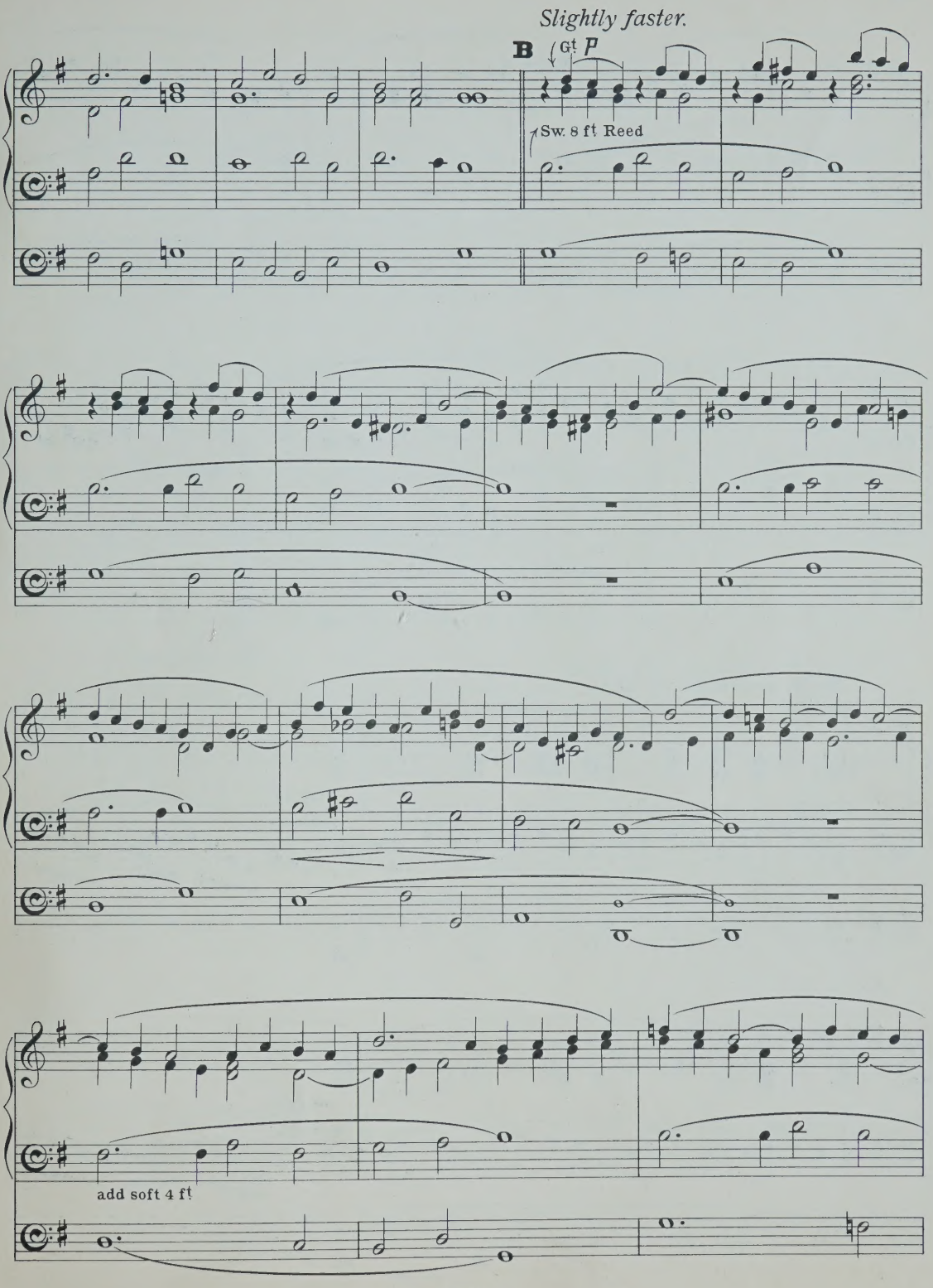
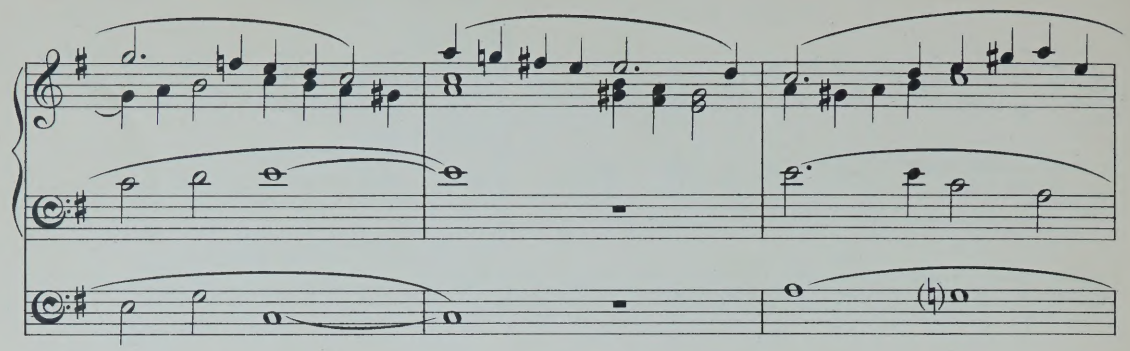
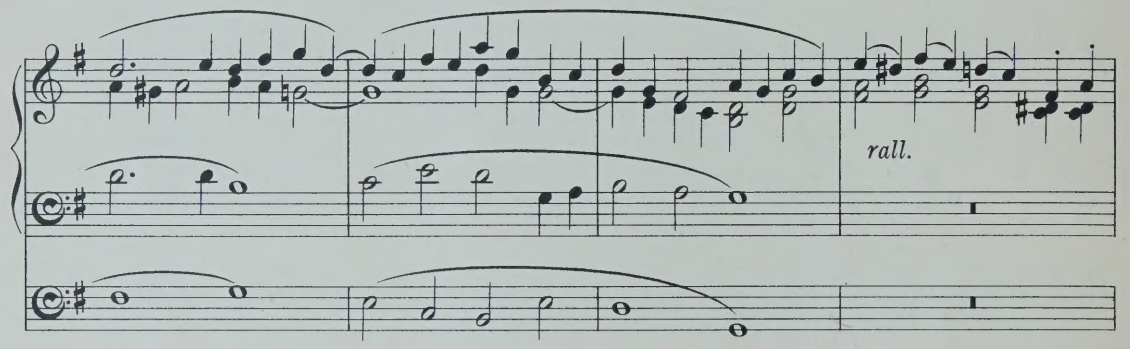
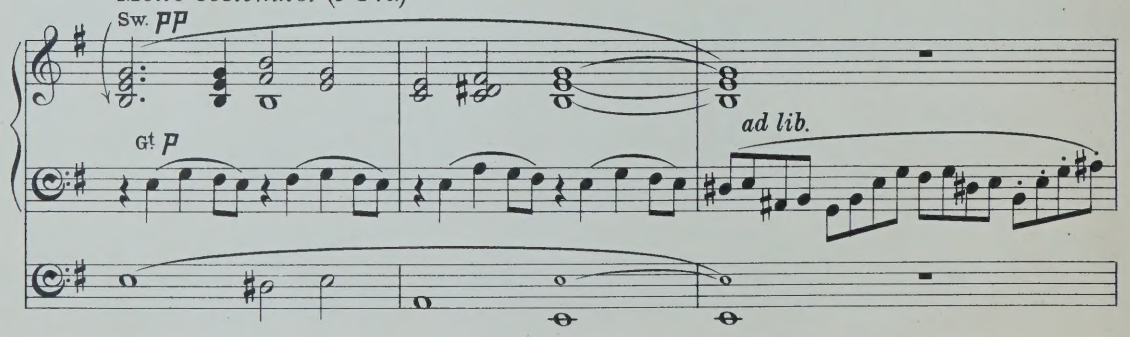
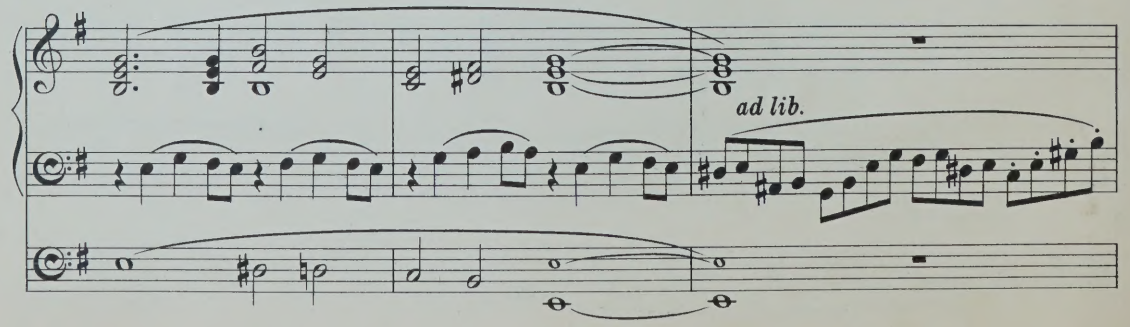

Slightly faster.
B
Gt
p
Sw. 8 ft Reed
add soft 4 ft

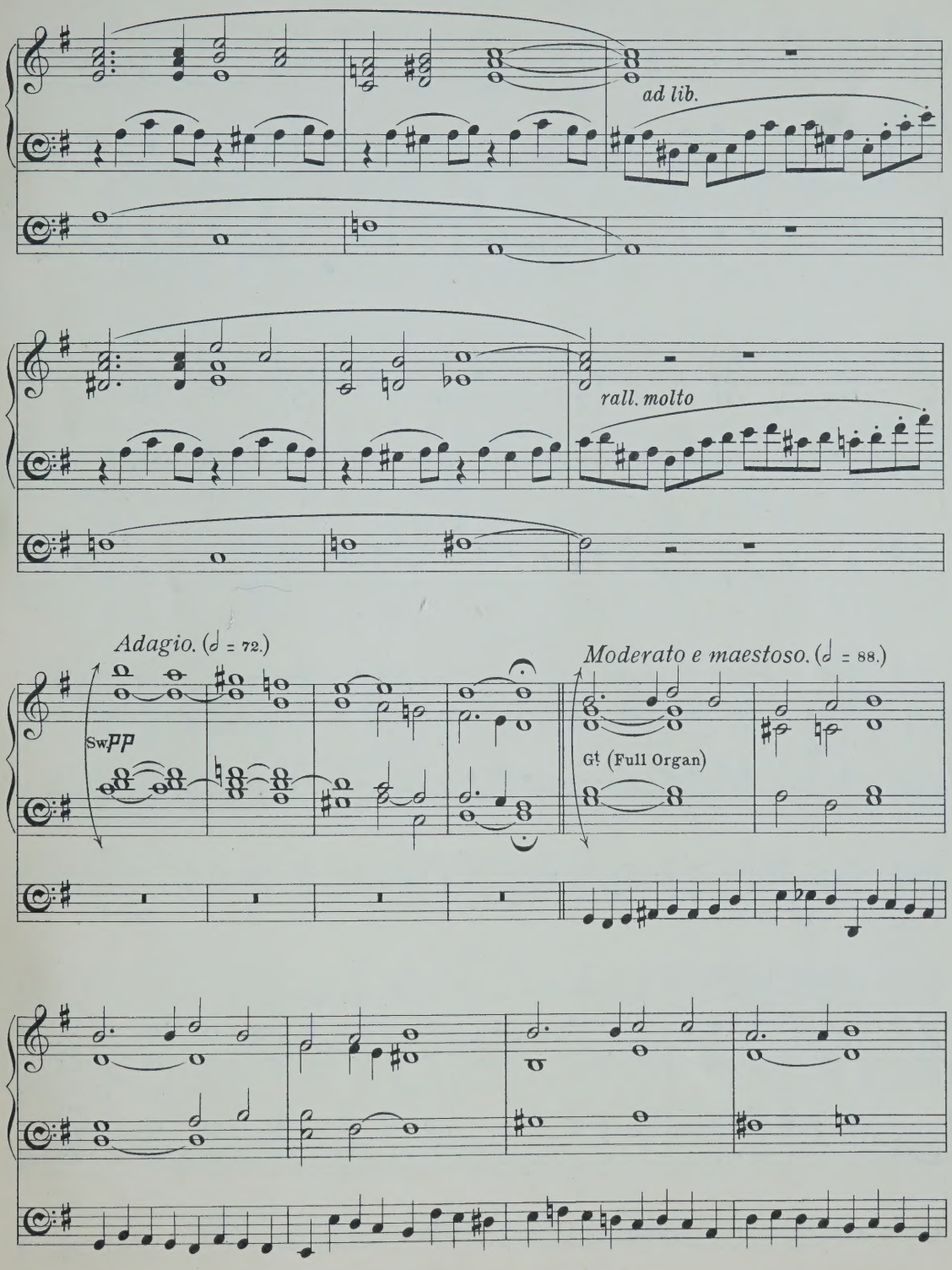


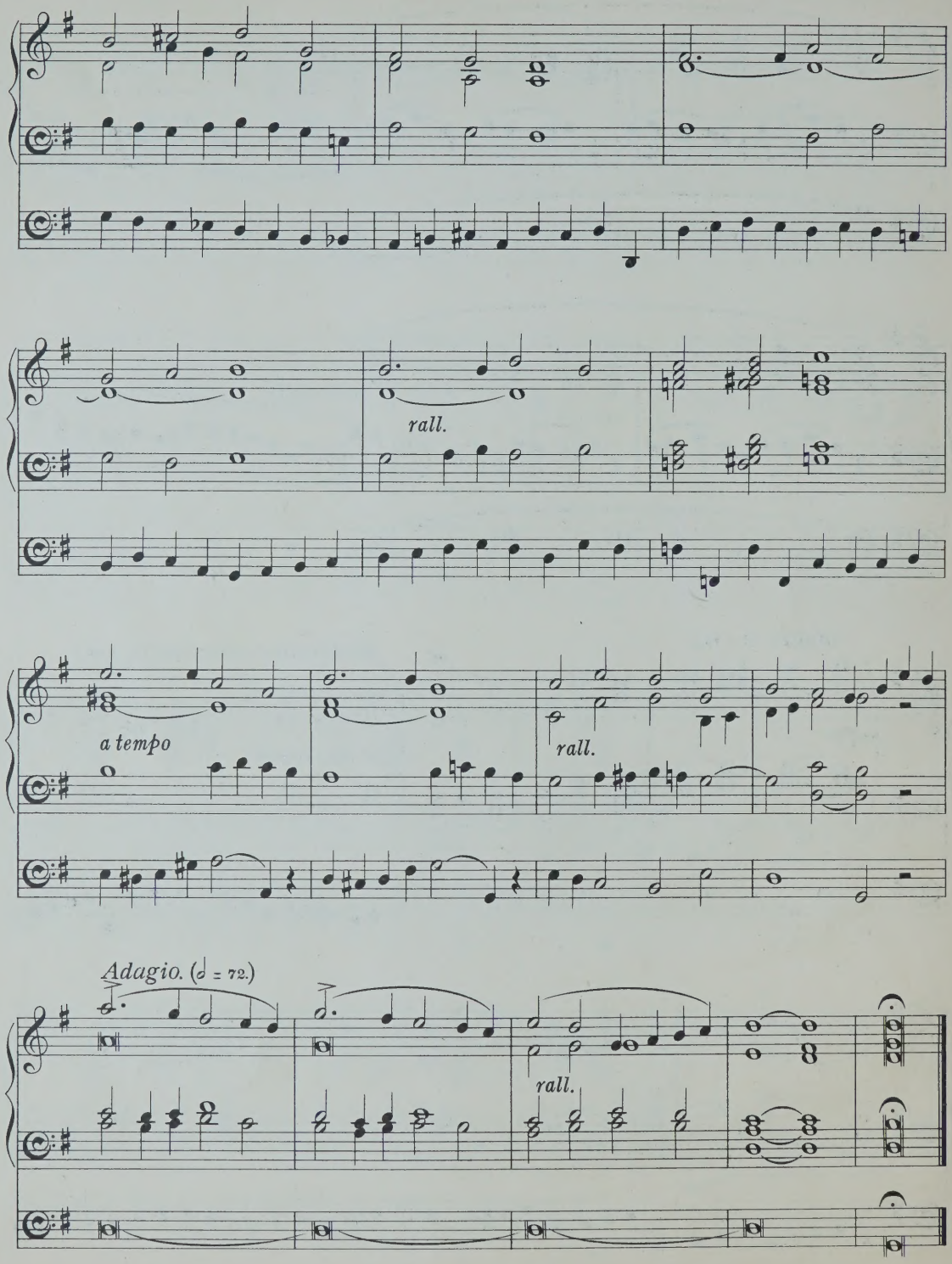


Molto sostenuto. (♩ = 76.)






ad lib.
rall. molto
Adagio. (♩ = 72.)
Sw. pp
Moderato e maestoso. (♩ = 88.)
Gt. (Full Organ)

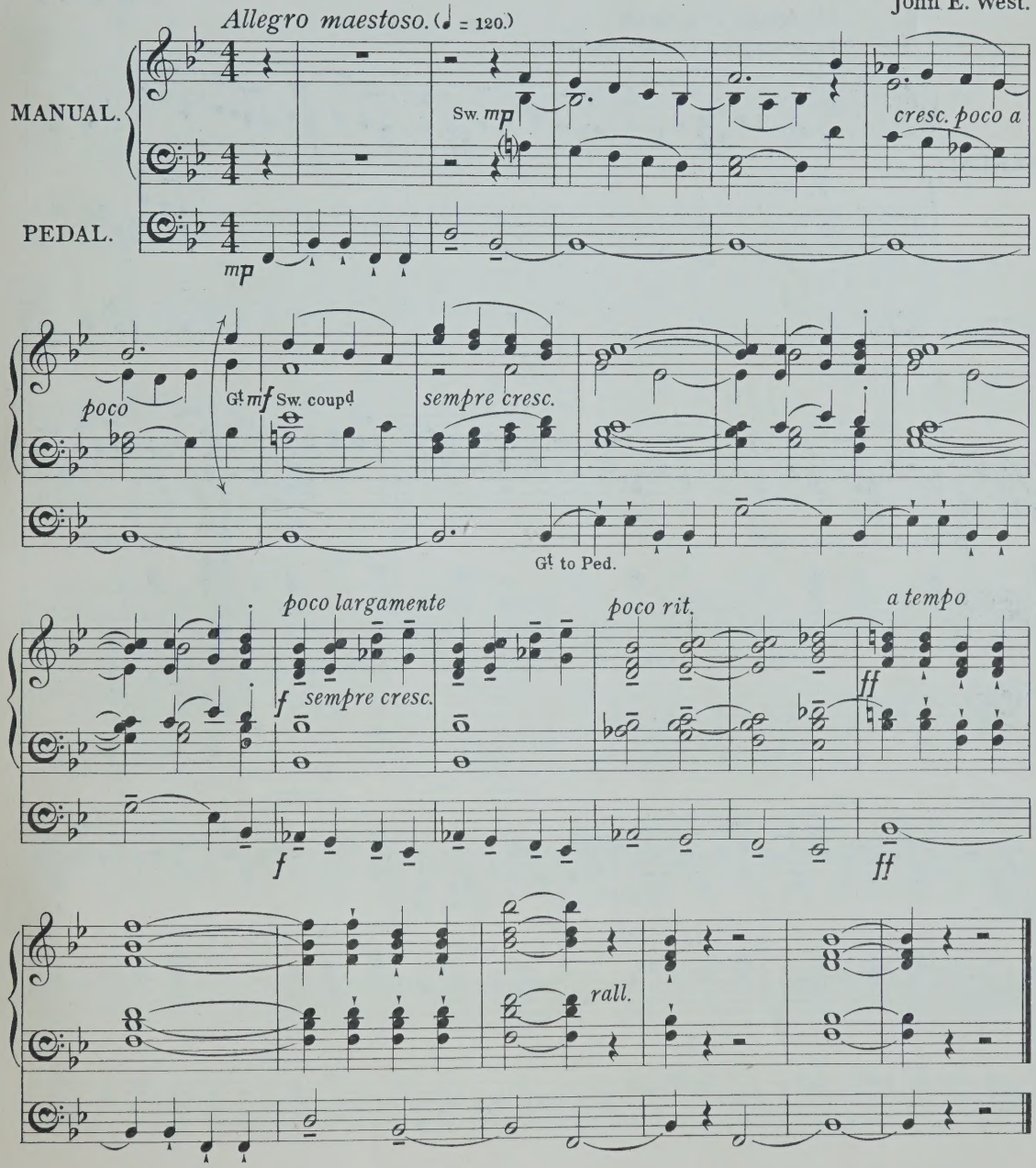

rall.
a tempo
rall.
Adagio. (♩ = 72.)
rall.

Short Improvization

On Schulz's Hymn-Tune

"WE PLOUGH THE FIELDS."*

John E. West.



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Thanksgiving at Harvest Time.

FROM "RUTH."

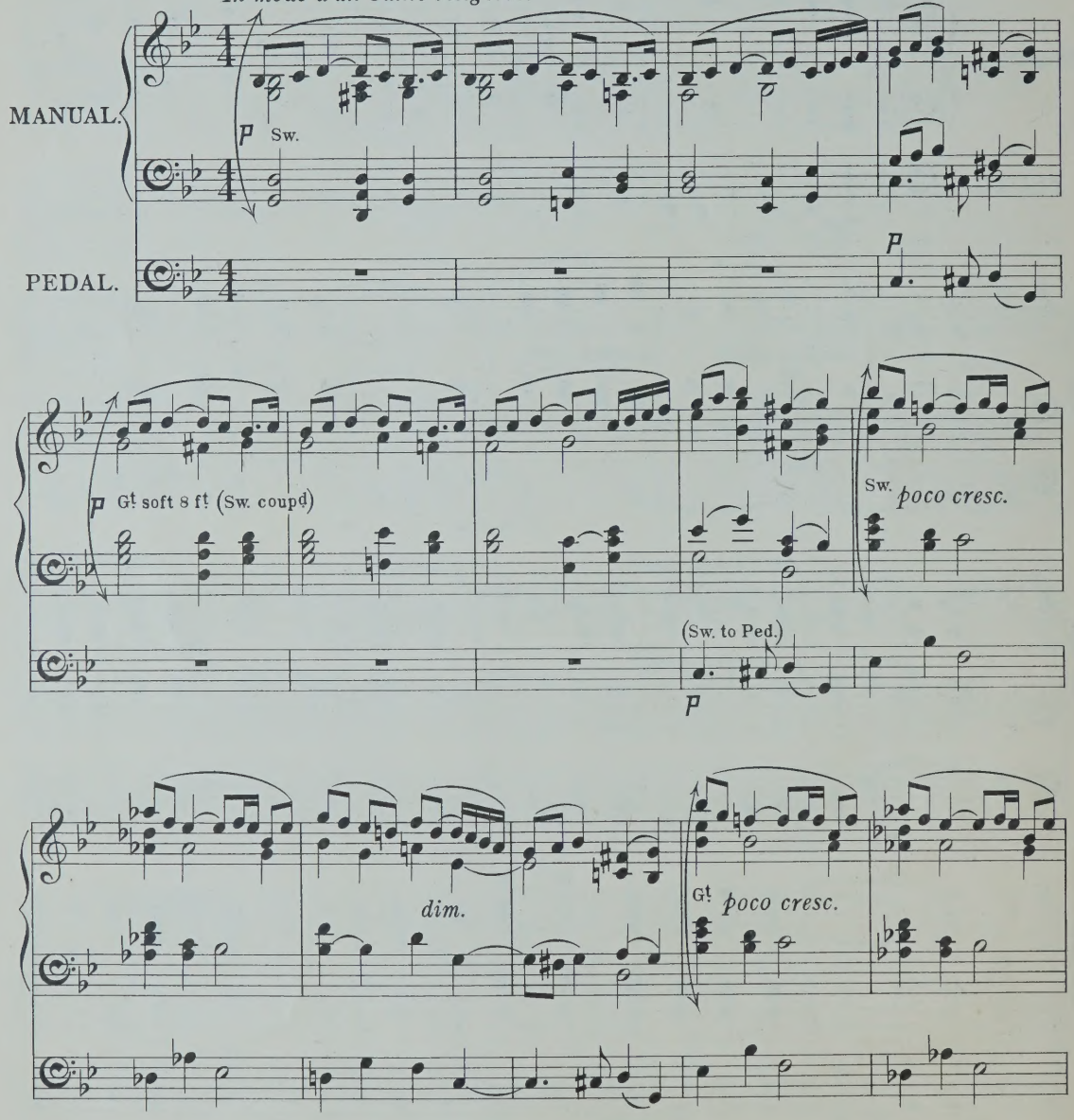
(Introductory Voluntary.)

Arranged by J. E. W.

F. H. Cowen.

Moderato con moto.

In modo d'un Canto religioso.



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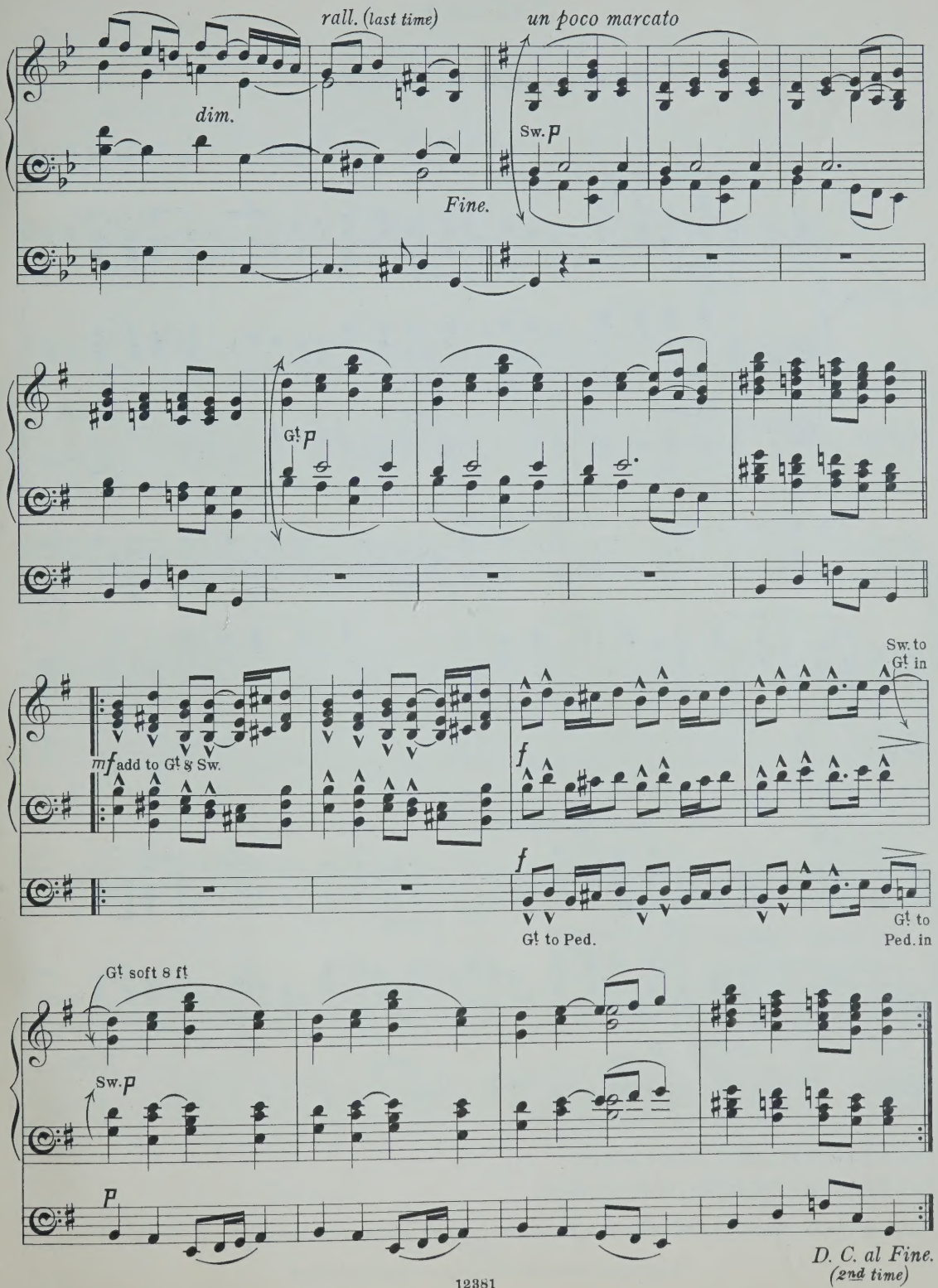
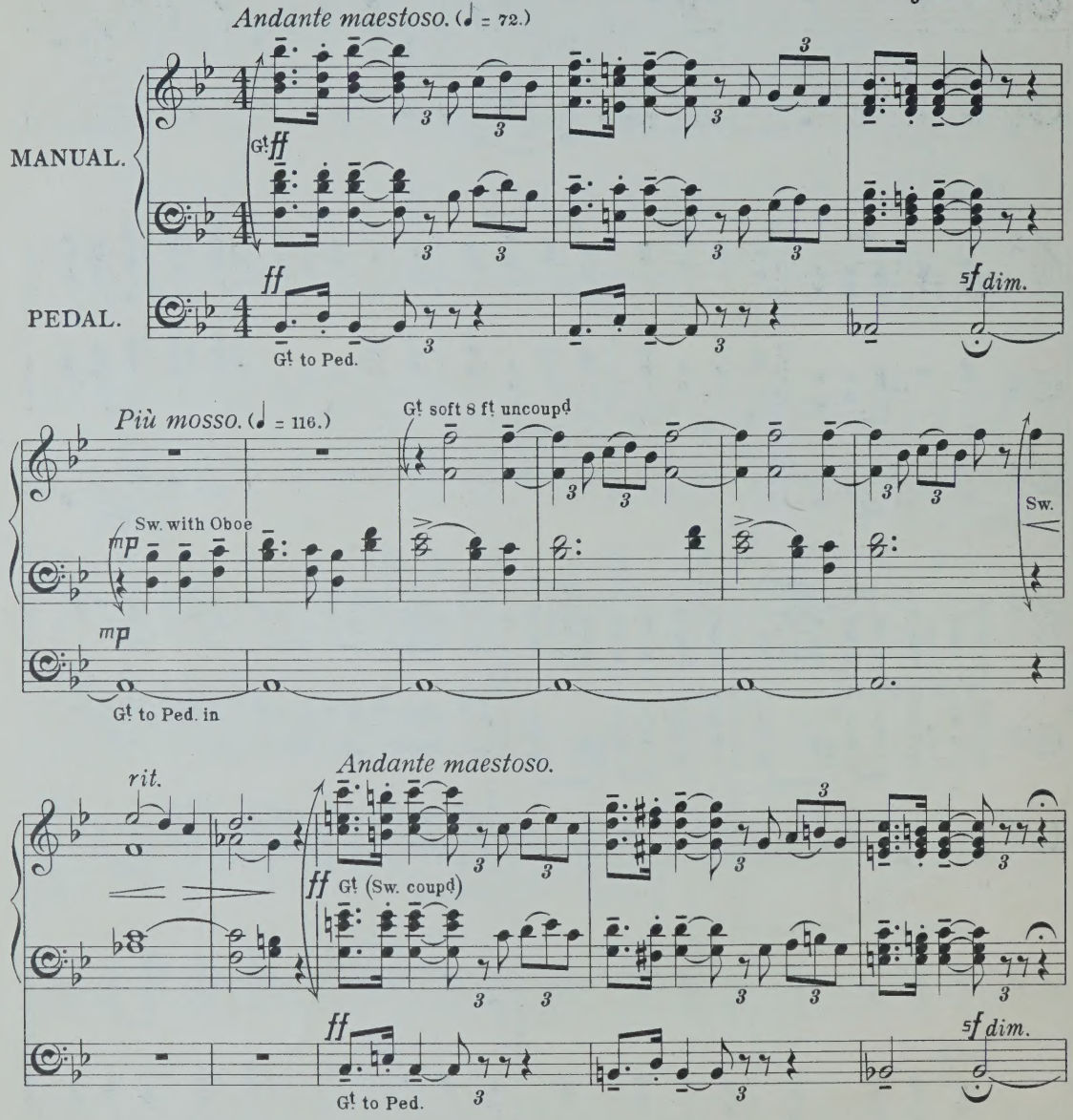

rall. (last time)
un poco marcato
dim.
Sw. p
Fine.
Gt p
Sw. to Gt in
mf add to Gt & Sw.
f
f
Gt to Ped.
Gt to Ped. in
Gt soft 8 ft
Sw. p
p
D. C. al Fine.
(2nd time)

Fantasia

On Barnby's Anthem

"O LORD, HOW MANIFOLD."*

John E. West.



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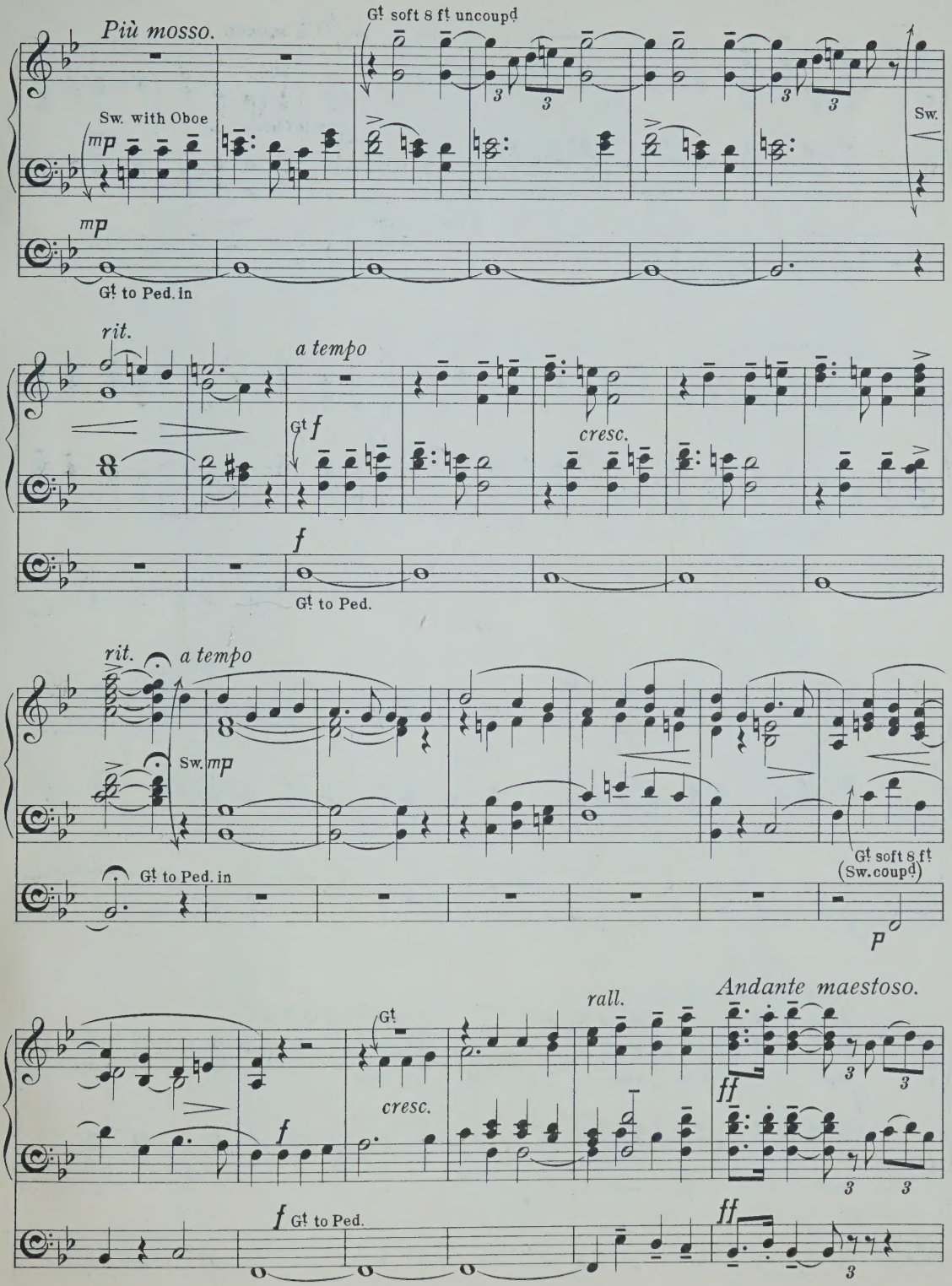
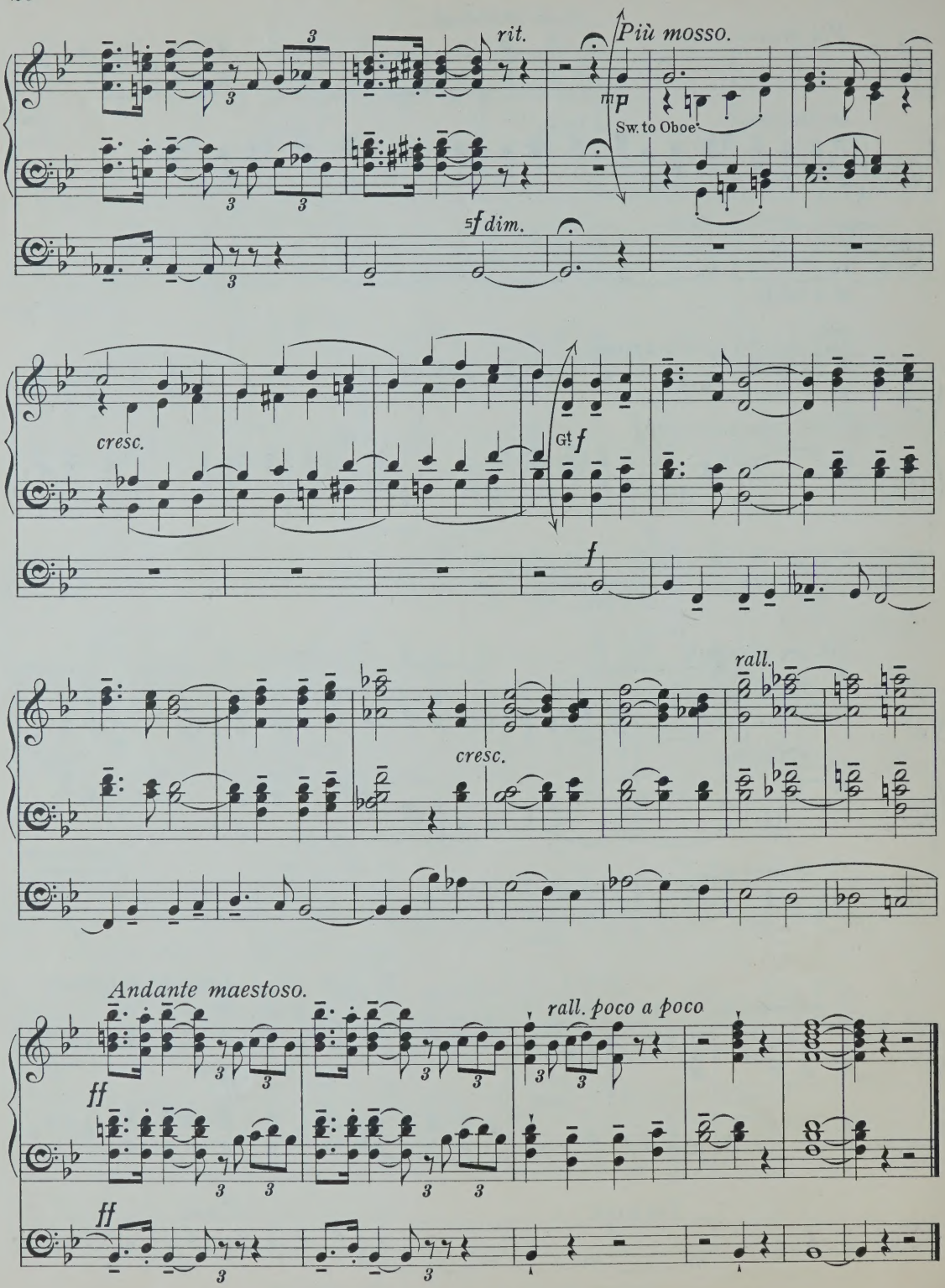
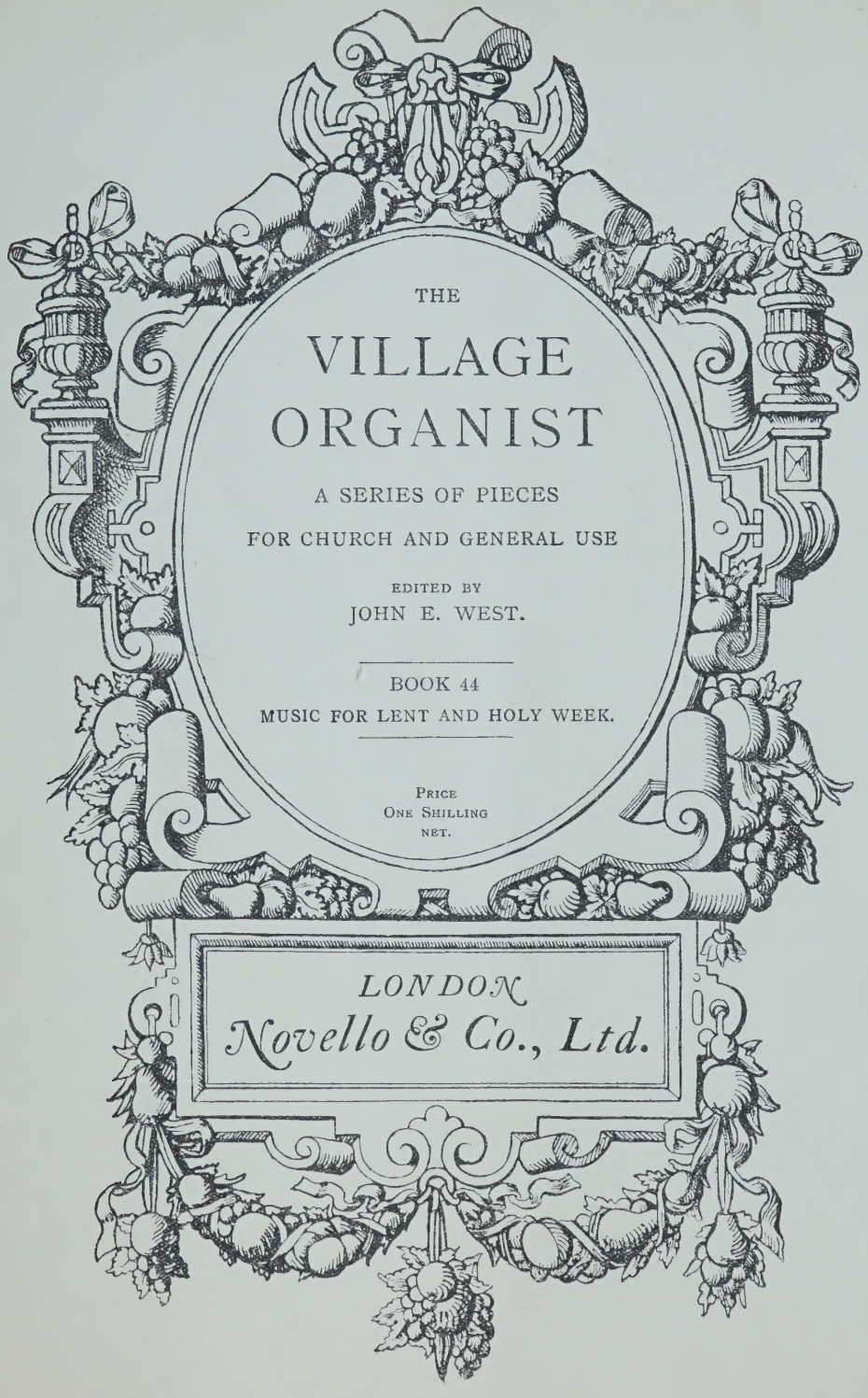

Più mosso.
Gt soft 8 ft uncoupd
Sw. with Oboe
mp
Sw.
mp
Gt to Ped. In
rit.
a tempo
Gt f
cresc.
f
Gt to Ped.
rit.
a tempo
Sw. mp
Gt to Ped. in
Gt soft 8 ft
(Sw. coupd)
p
rall.
Andante maestoso.
Gt
cresc.
ff
f
f Gt to Ped.
ff


rit.
Più mosso.
mp
Sw. to Oboe
sf dim.
cresc.
Gt f
f
rall.
cresc.
Andante maestoso.
rall. poco a poco
ff
ff



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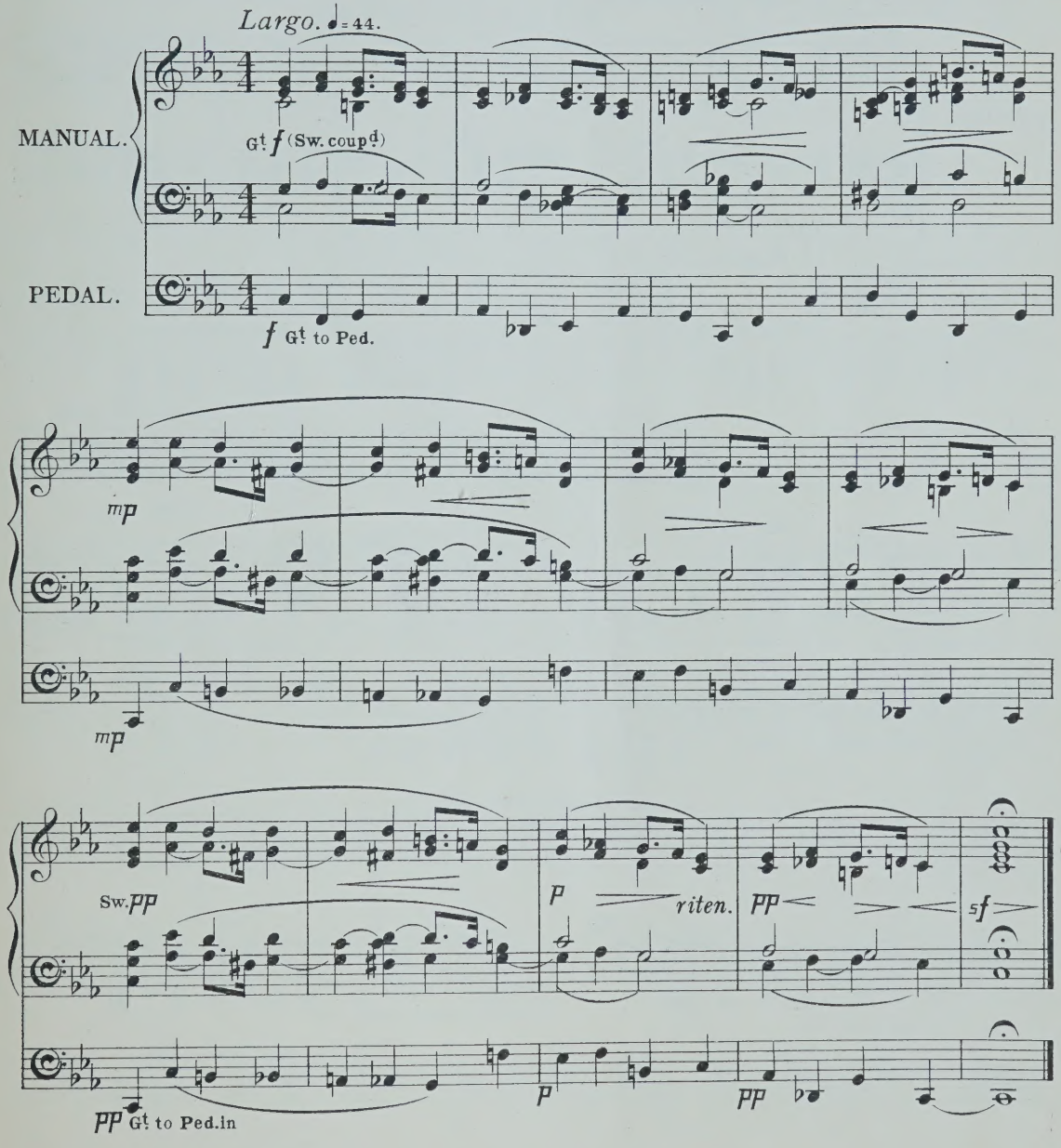
Prelude in C minor.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

F. Chopin.



Time taken in performance about 1 *minute.*

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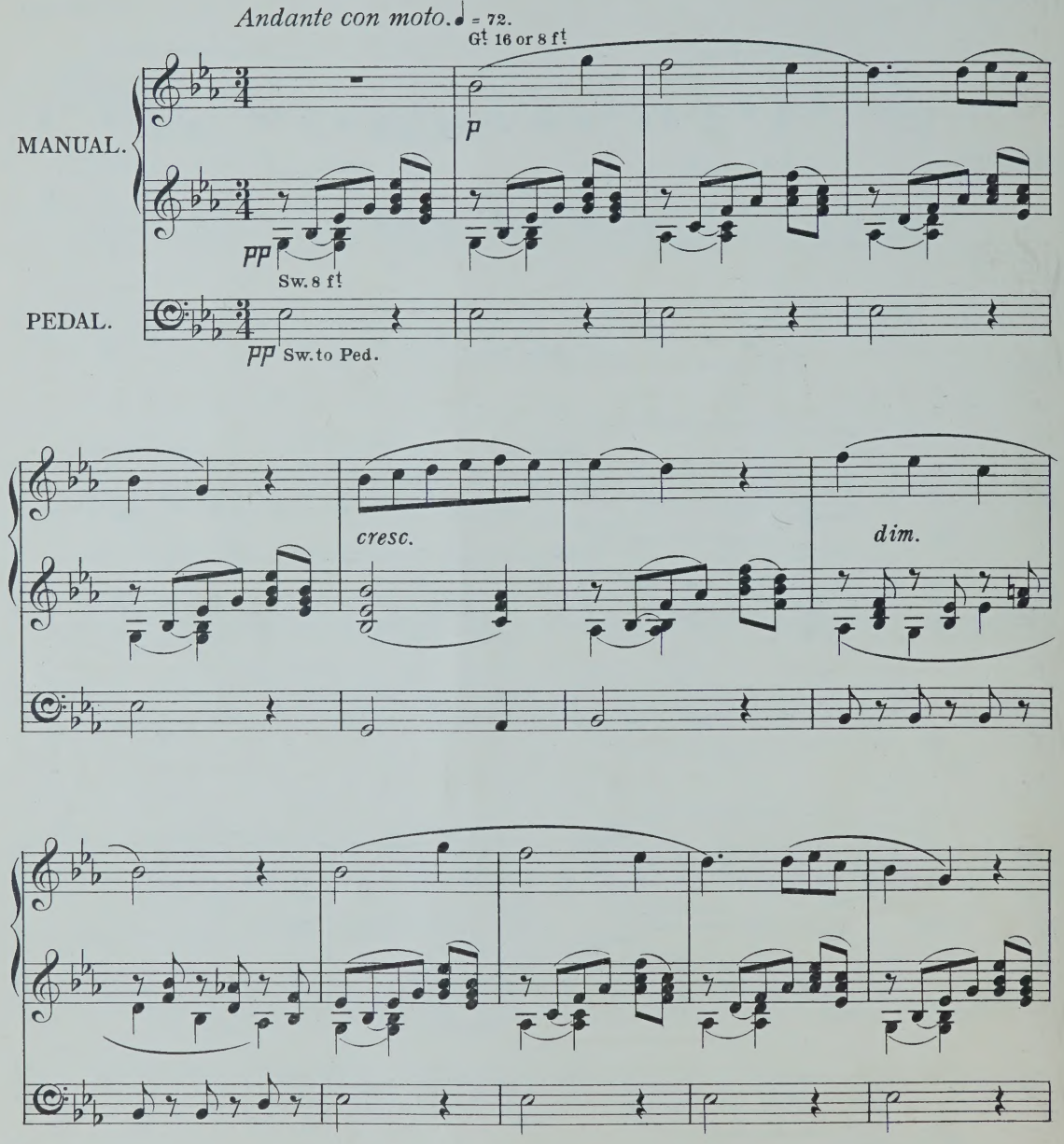
"If with all your hearts."

FROM "ELIJAH."

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Mendelssohn.



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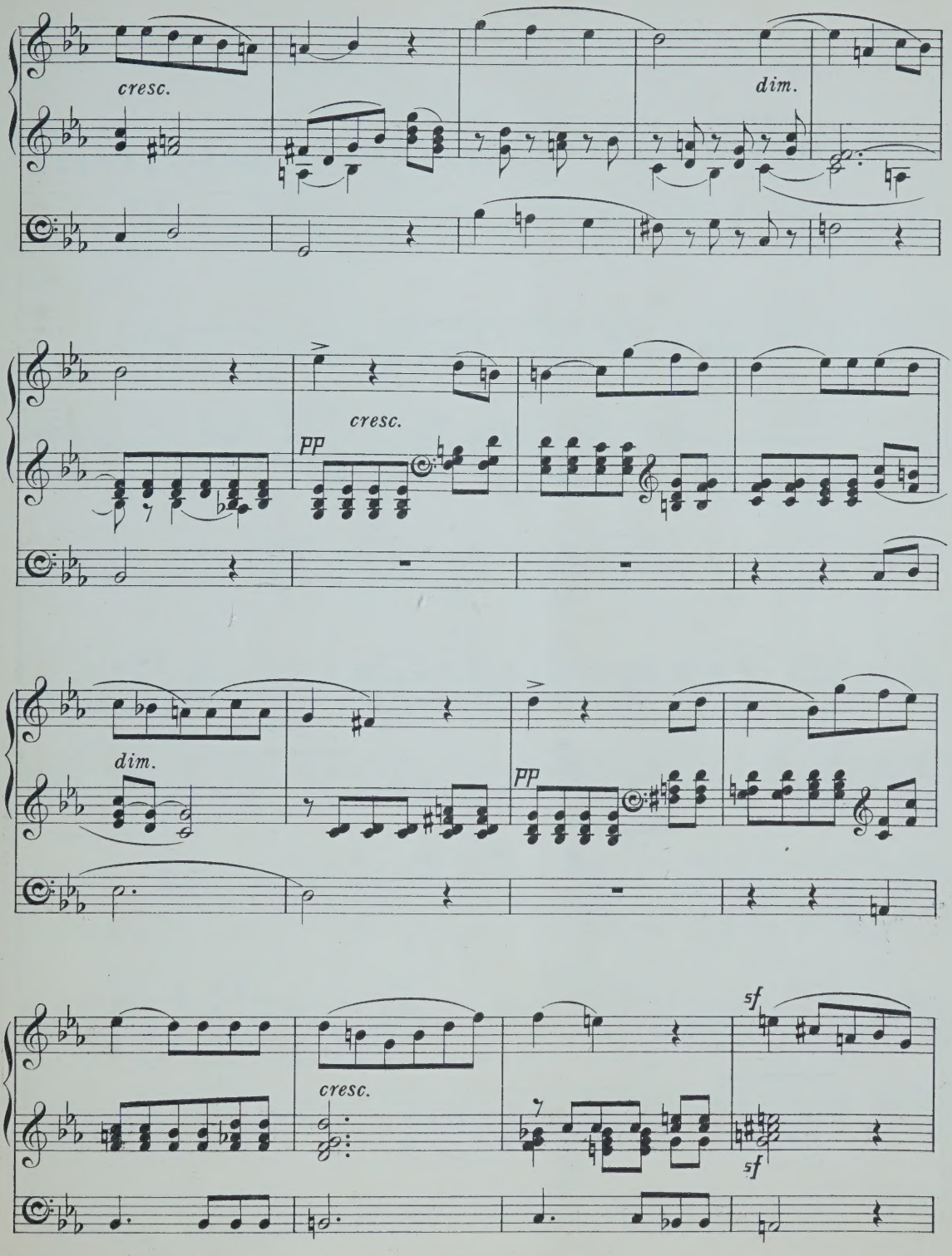
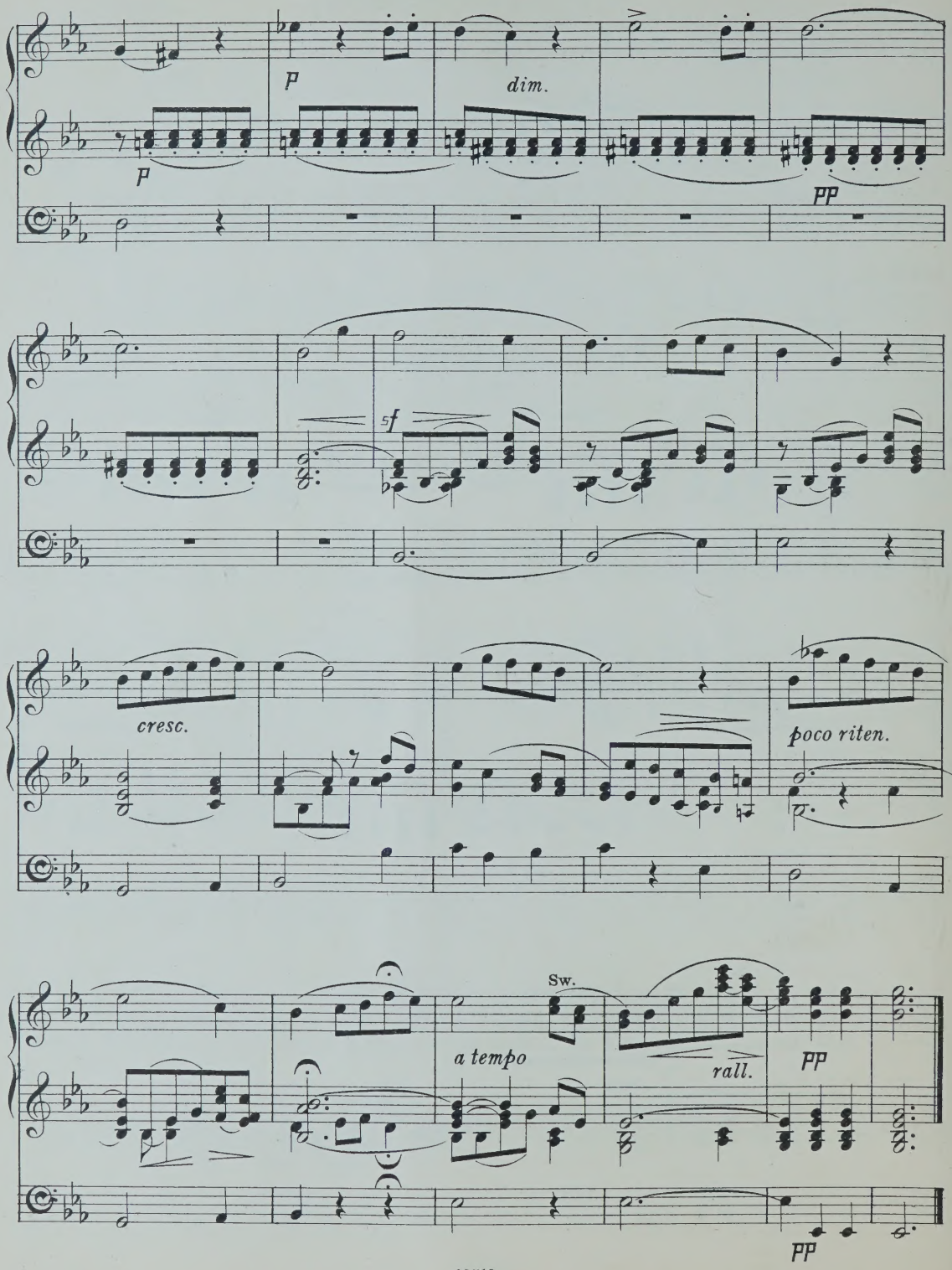

cresc.
dim.
cresc.
pp
dim.
pp
cresc.
sf
sf

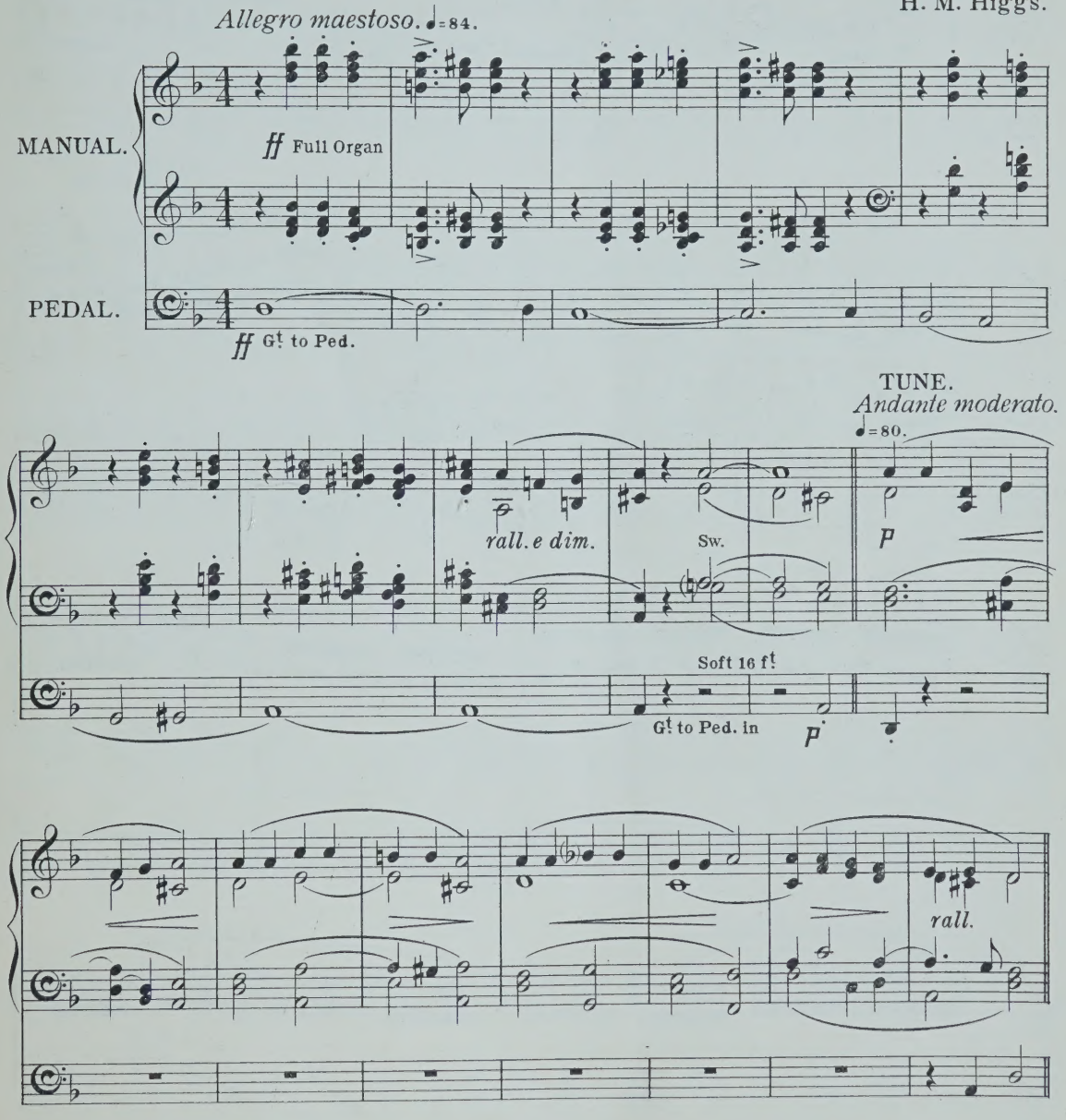

p
dim.
p
pp
sf
cresc.
poco riten.
Sw.
a tempo
rall.
pp
pp

Variations on the Tune "Heinlein."

("FORTY DAYS AND FORTY NIGHTS.")

(Concluding Voluntary.)

H. M. Higgs.



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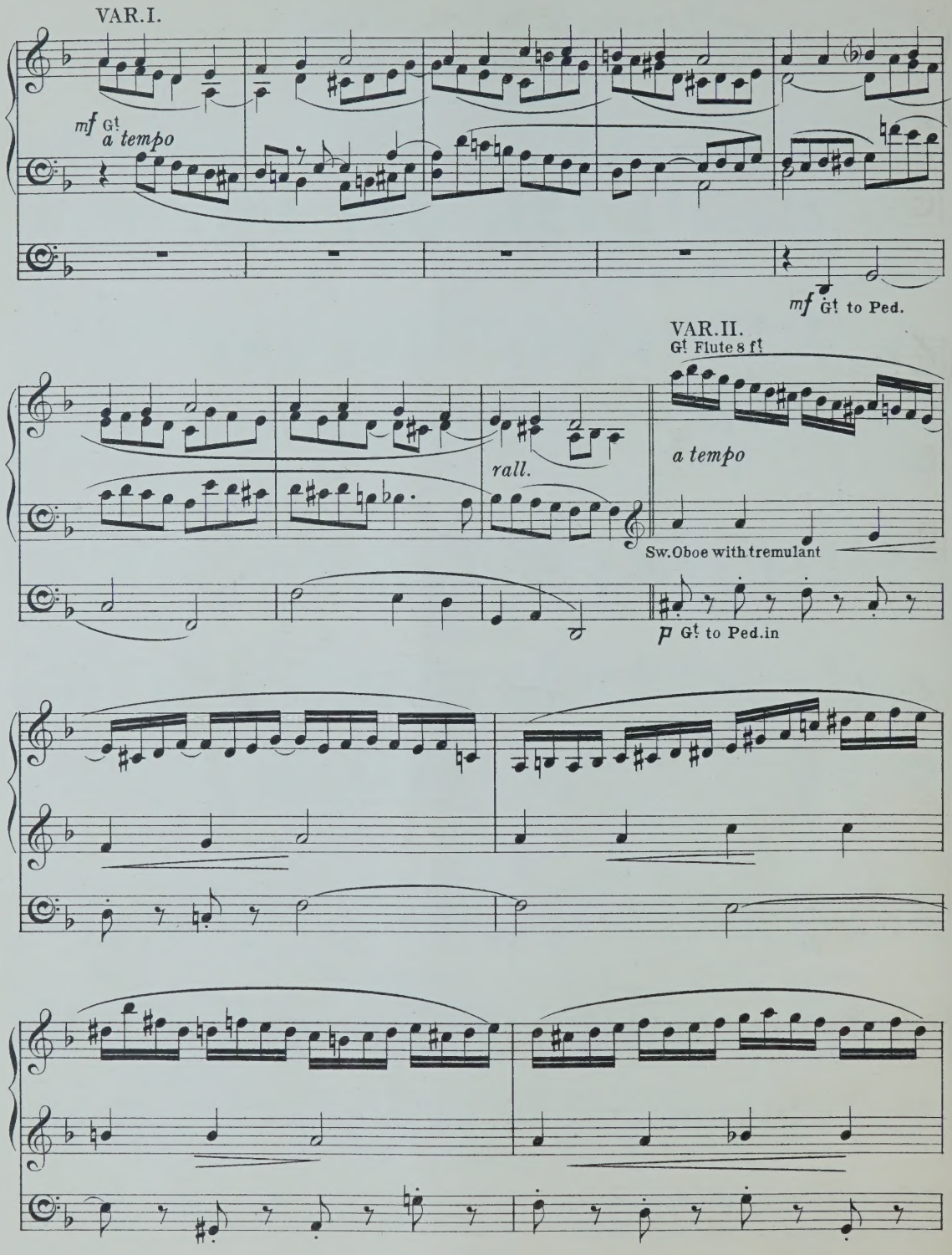
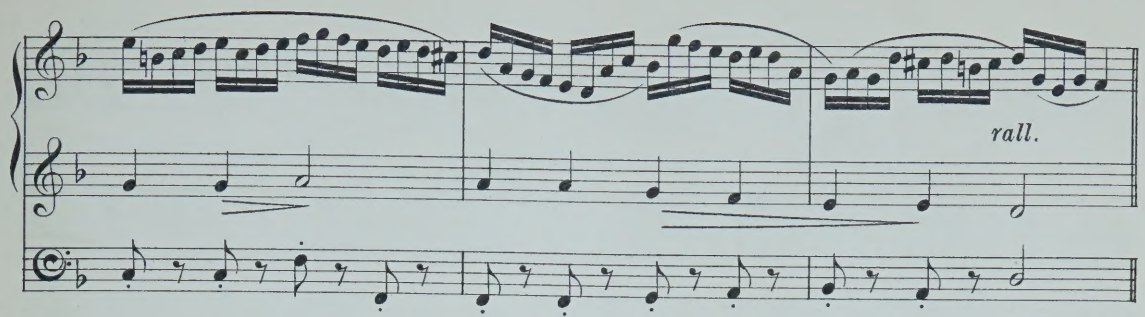
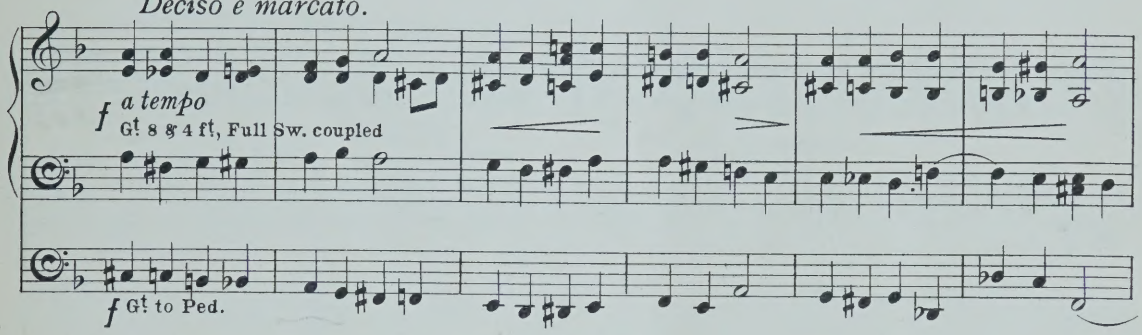

VAR.I.
mf Gt
a tempo
mf Gt to Ped.
VAR.II.
Gt Flute 8 ft
rall.
a tempo
Sw.Oboe with tremulant
p Gt to Ped.in



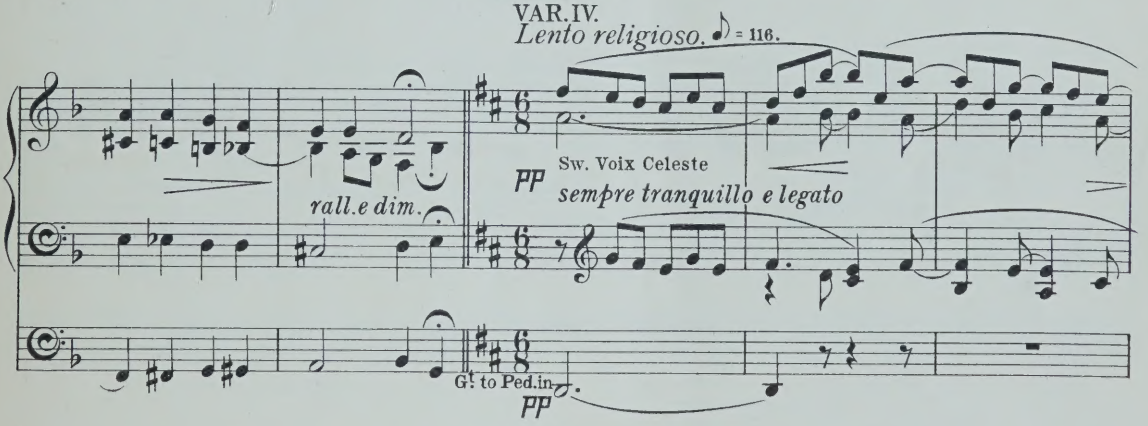
VAR. III.

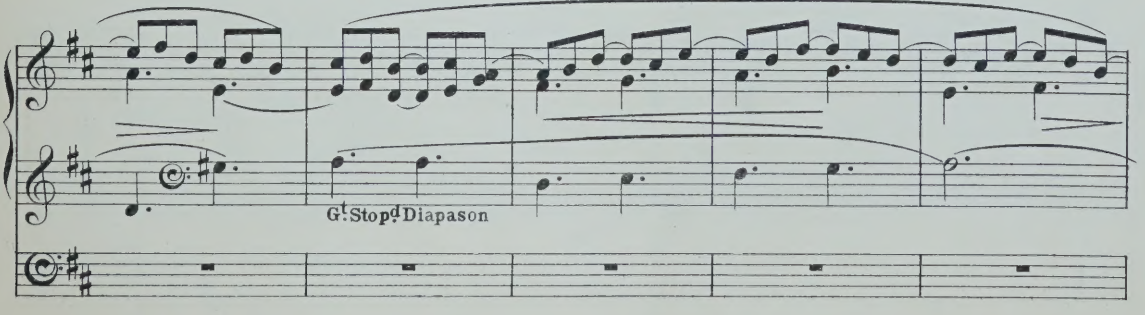
Deciso e marcato.

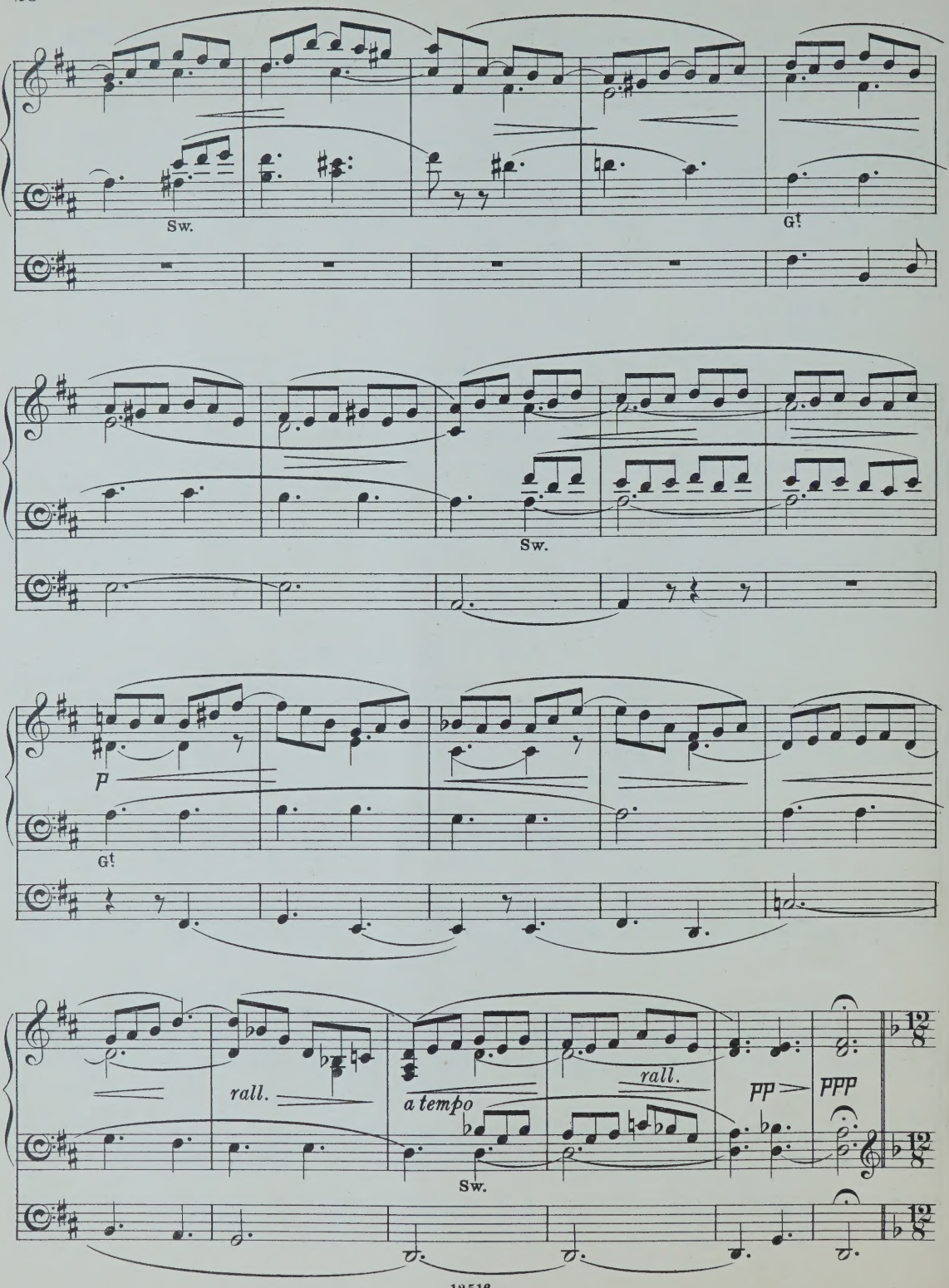


VAR. IV.

Lento religioso. ♪ = 116.

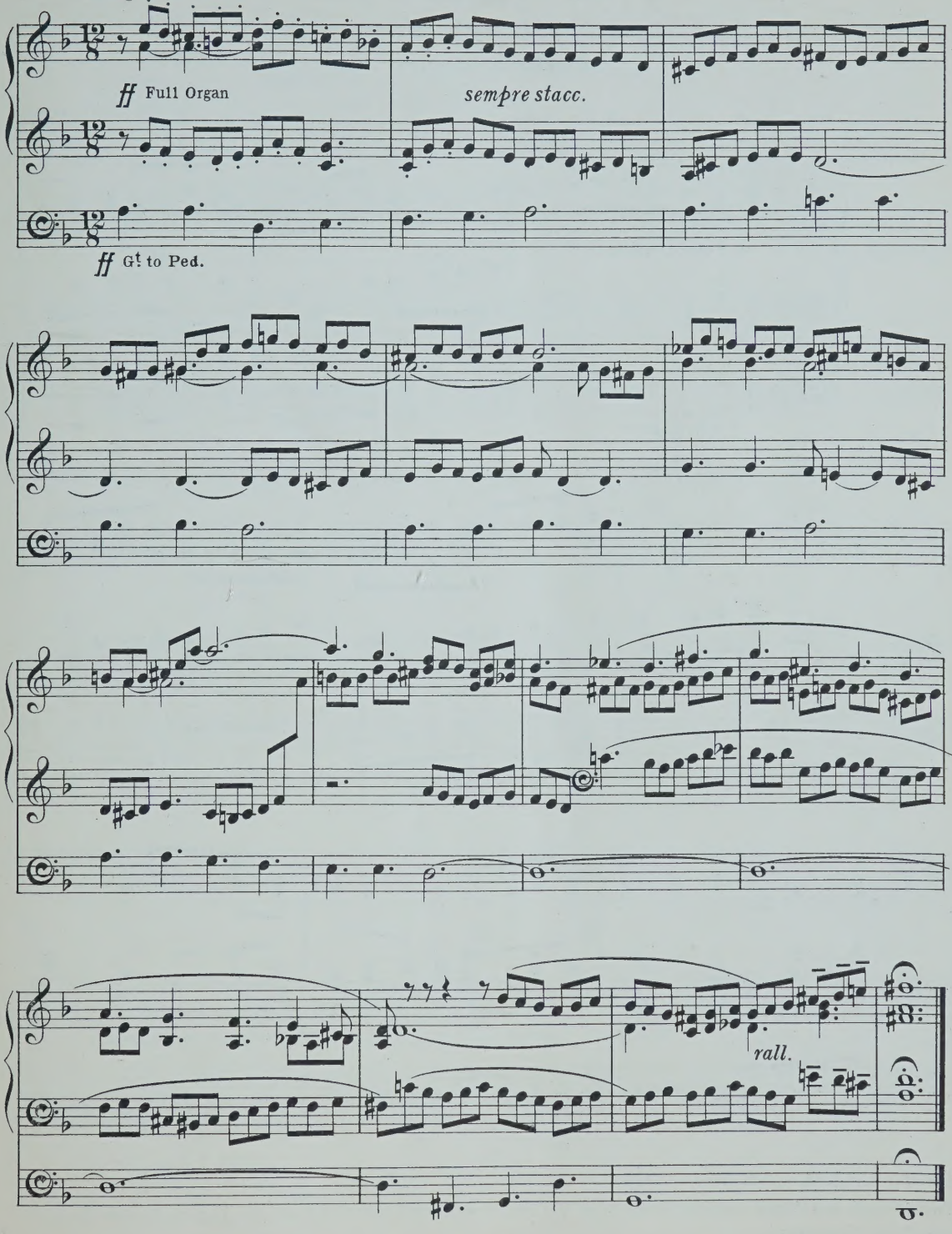





Sw.
G!
Sw.
p
G!
rall.
a tempo
rall.
pp
ppp
Sw.

VAR.V.

Allegro. ♩. = 84.

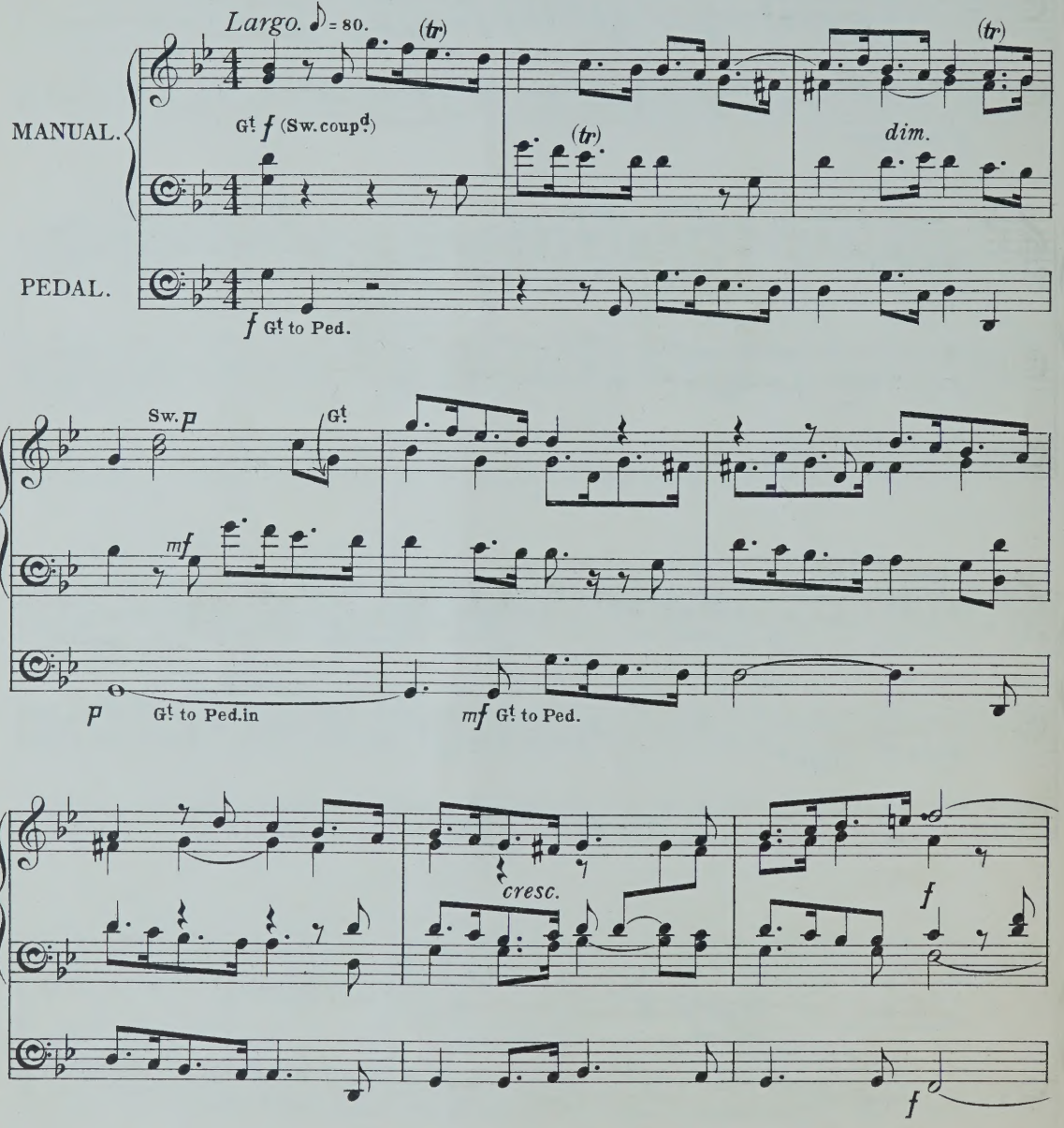


"Behold the Lamb of God."

FROM "THE MESSIAH."

(Concluding Voluntary.)

Handel.



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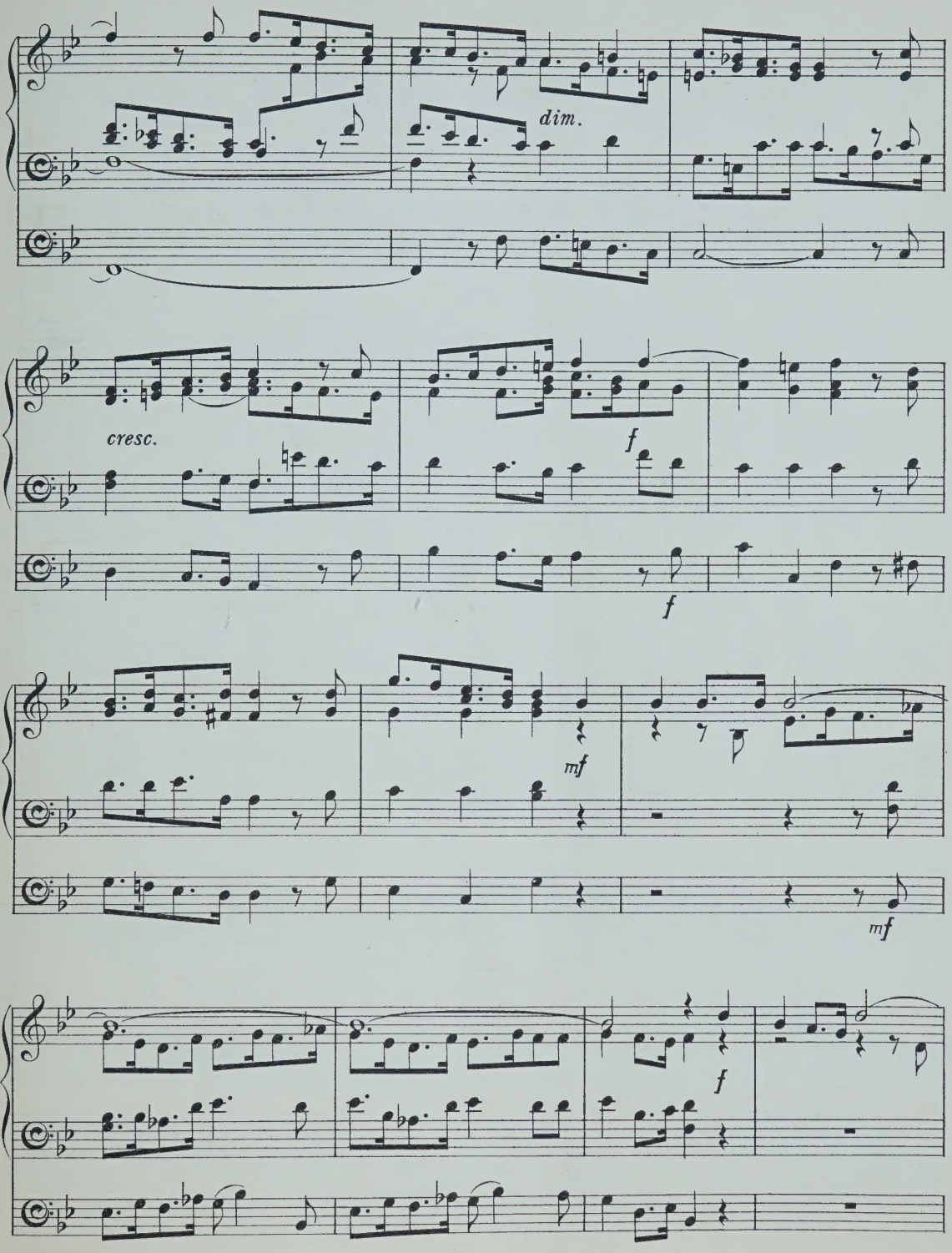
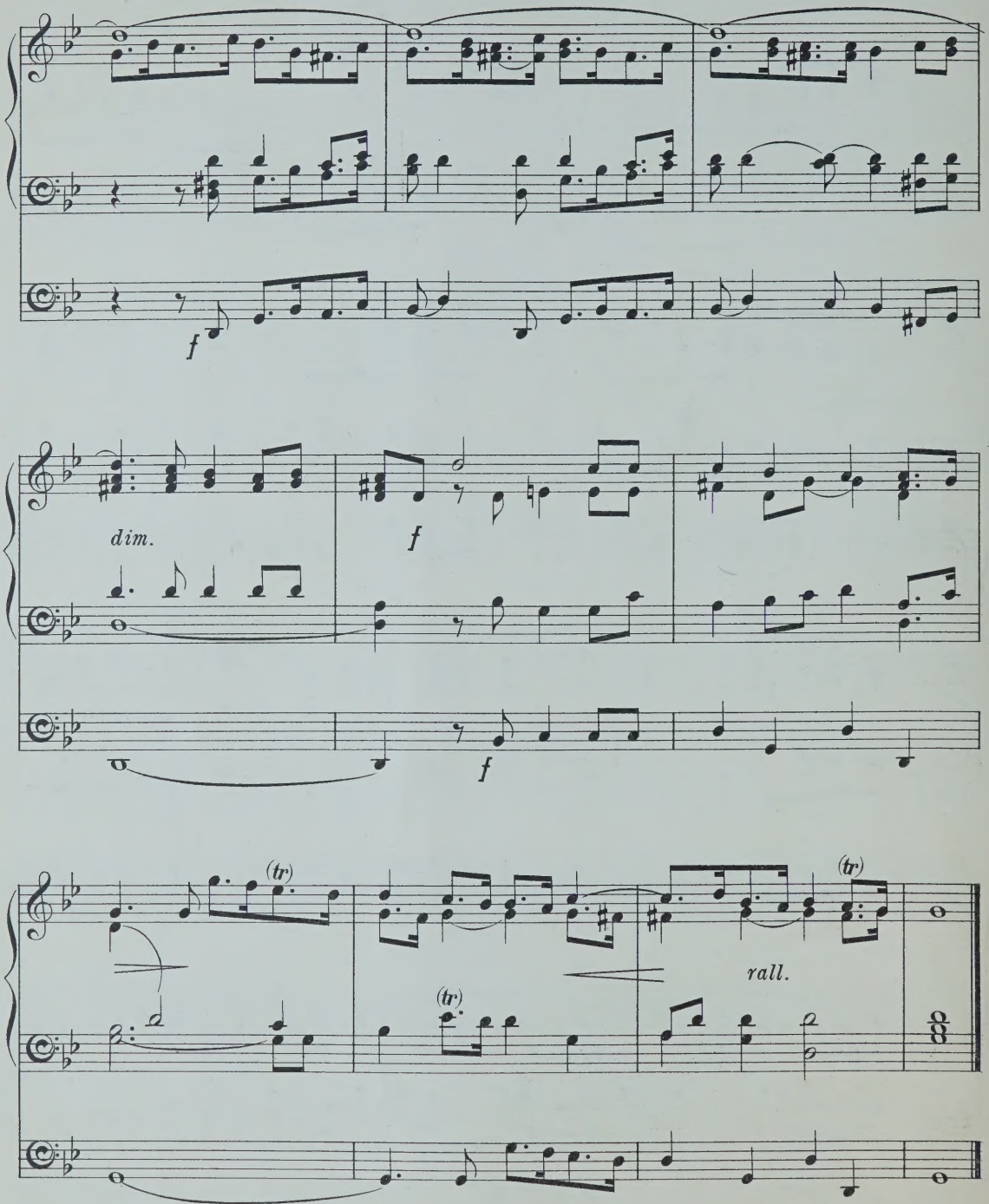

dim.
cresc.
f
f
mf
mf
f

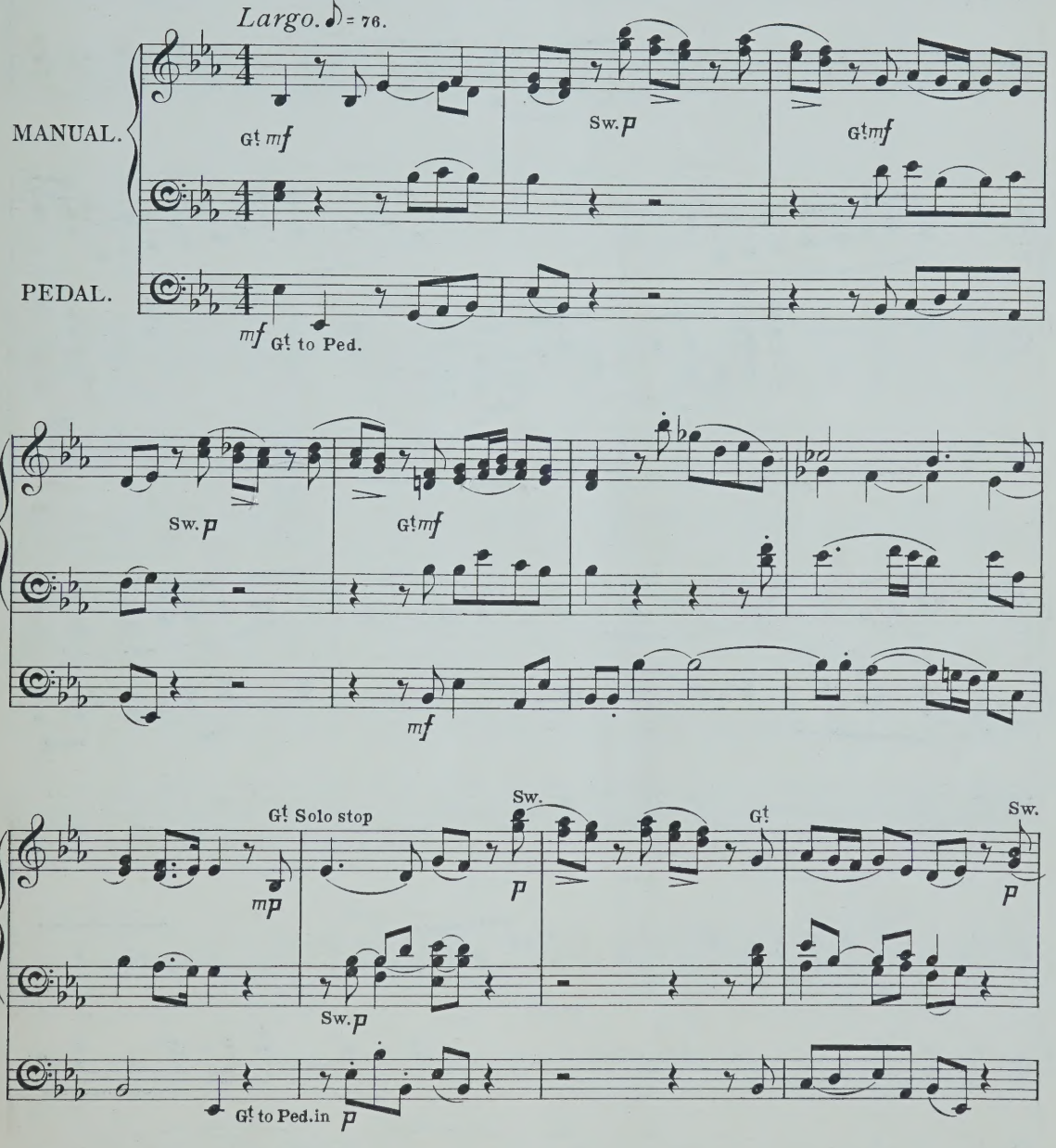

f
dim.
f
f
(tr)
(tr)
(tr)
rall.

"He was despised."

FROM "THE MESSIAH."

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Handel.



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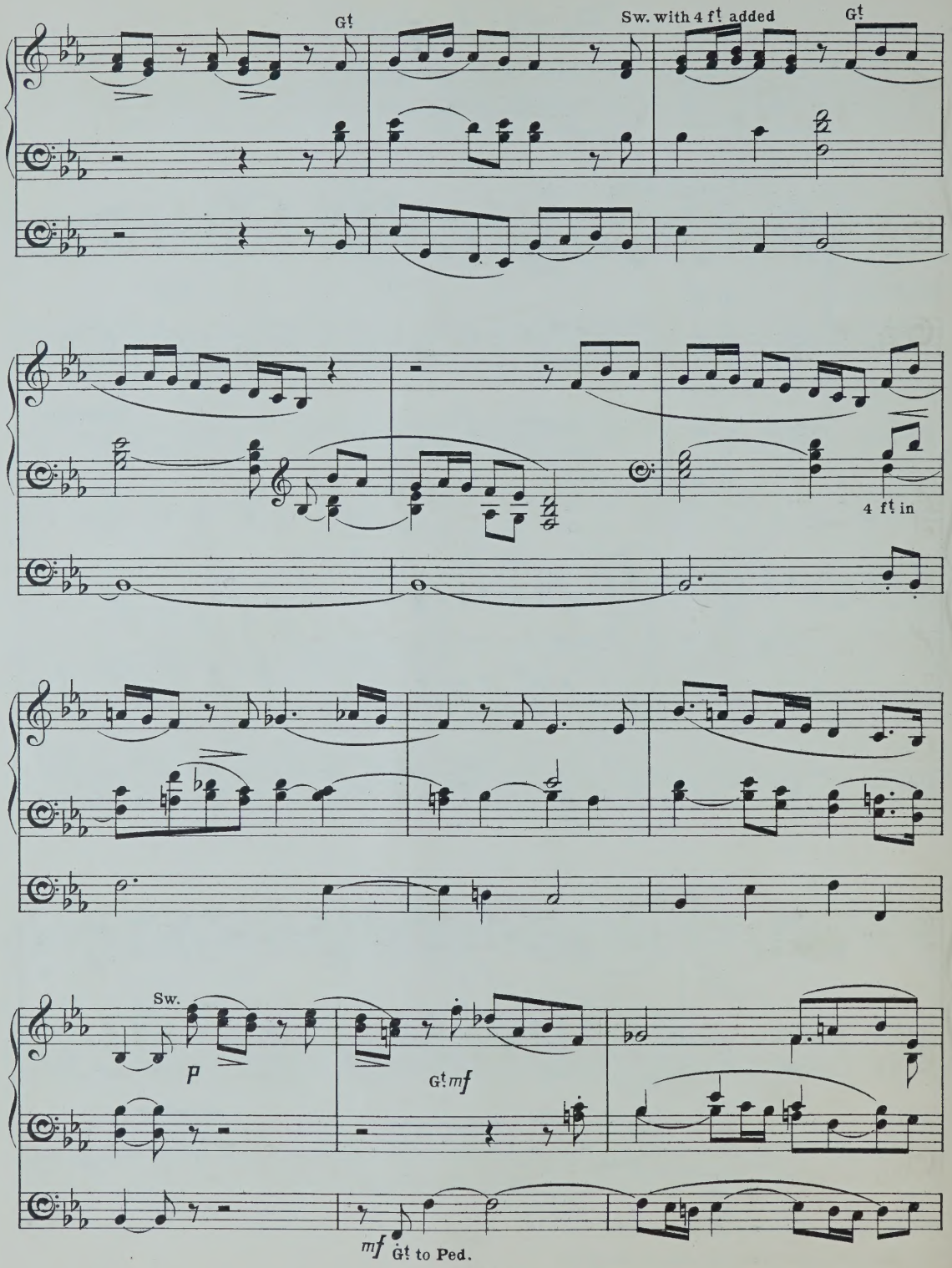
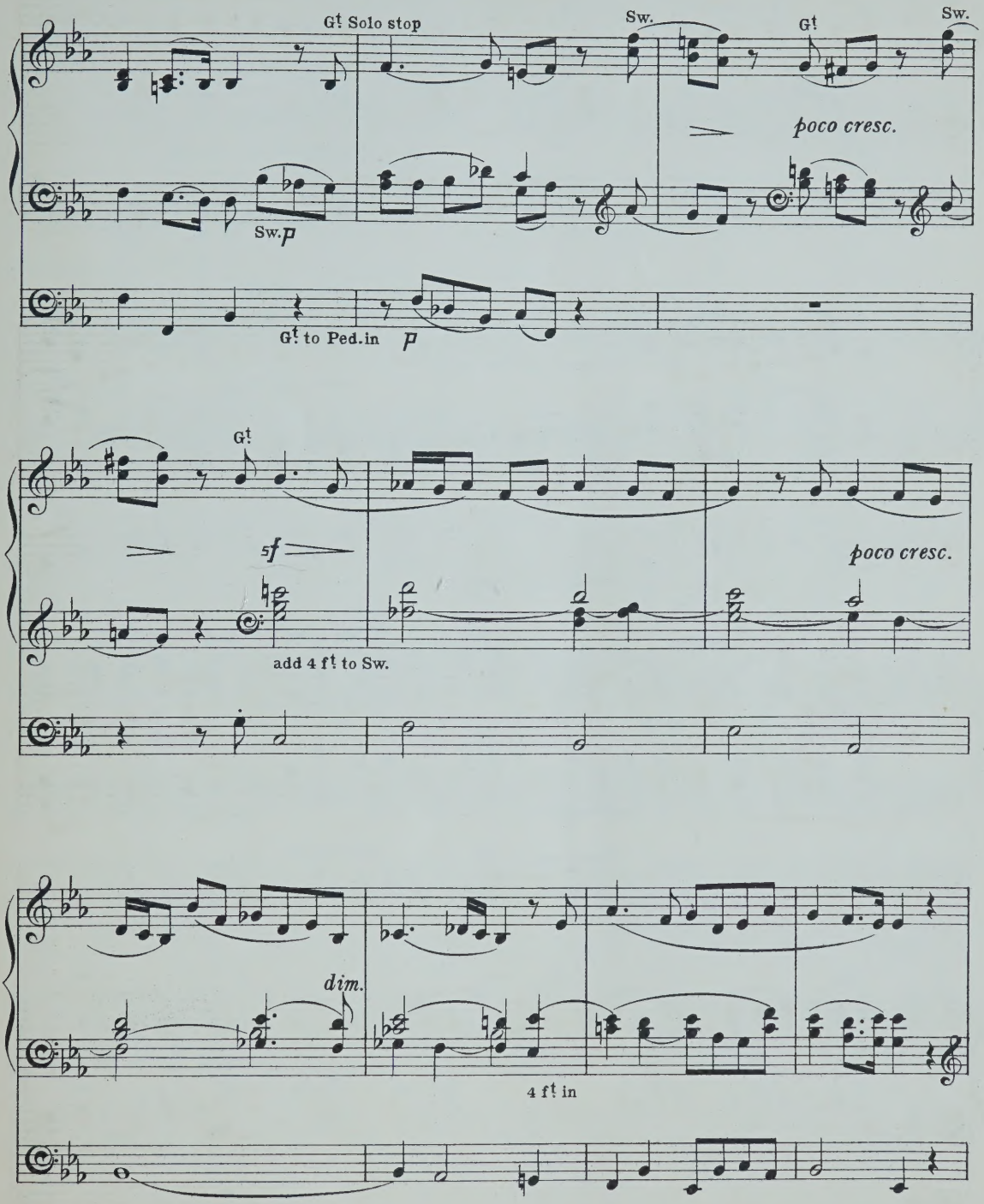
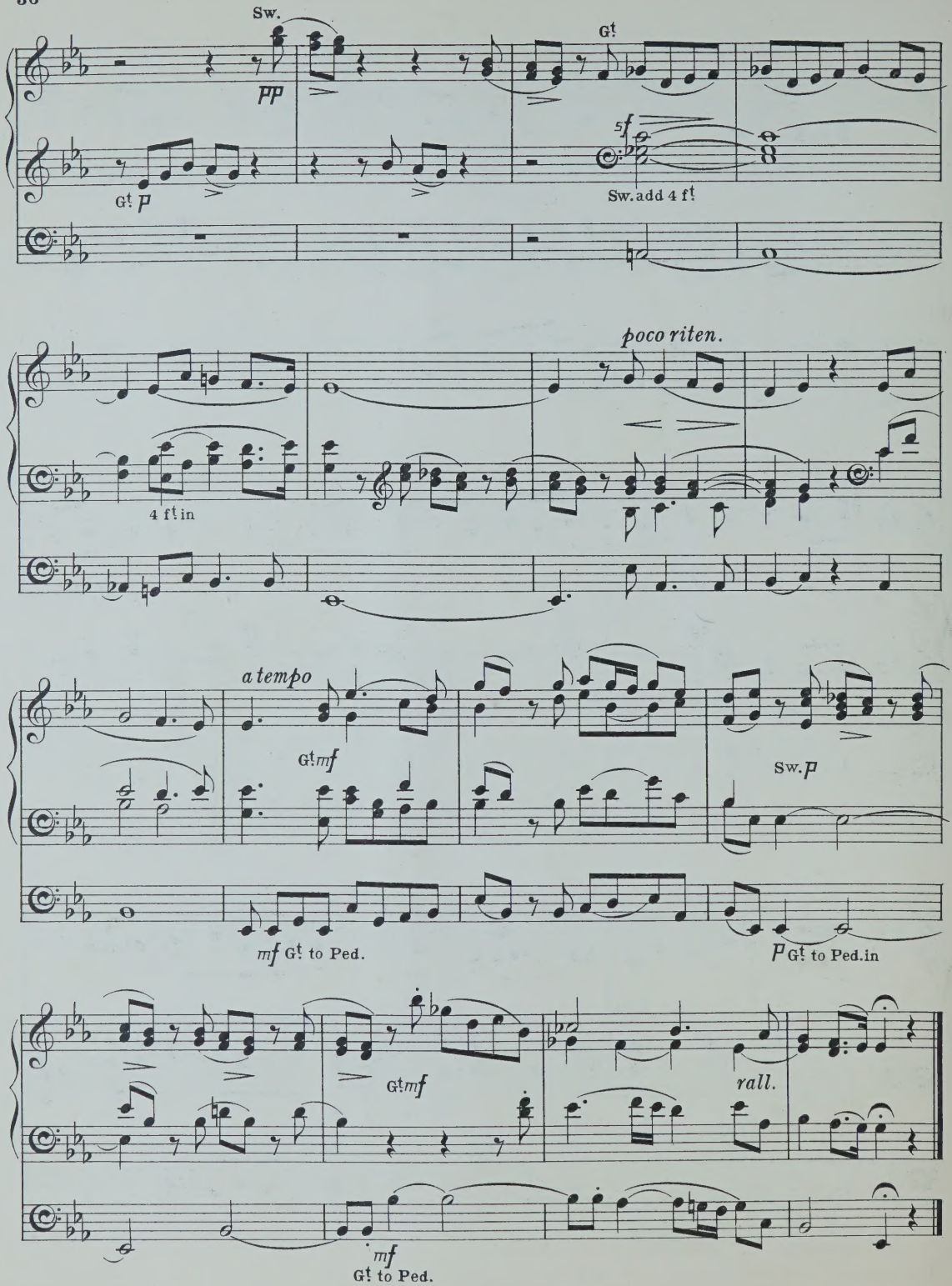

Gt
Sw. with 4 ft added
Gt
4 ft in
Sw.
p
Gt mf
mf Gt to Ped.

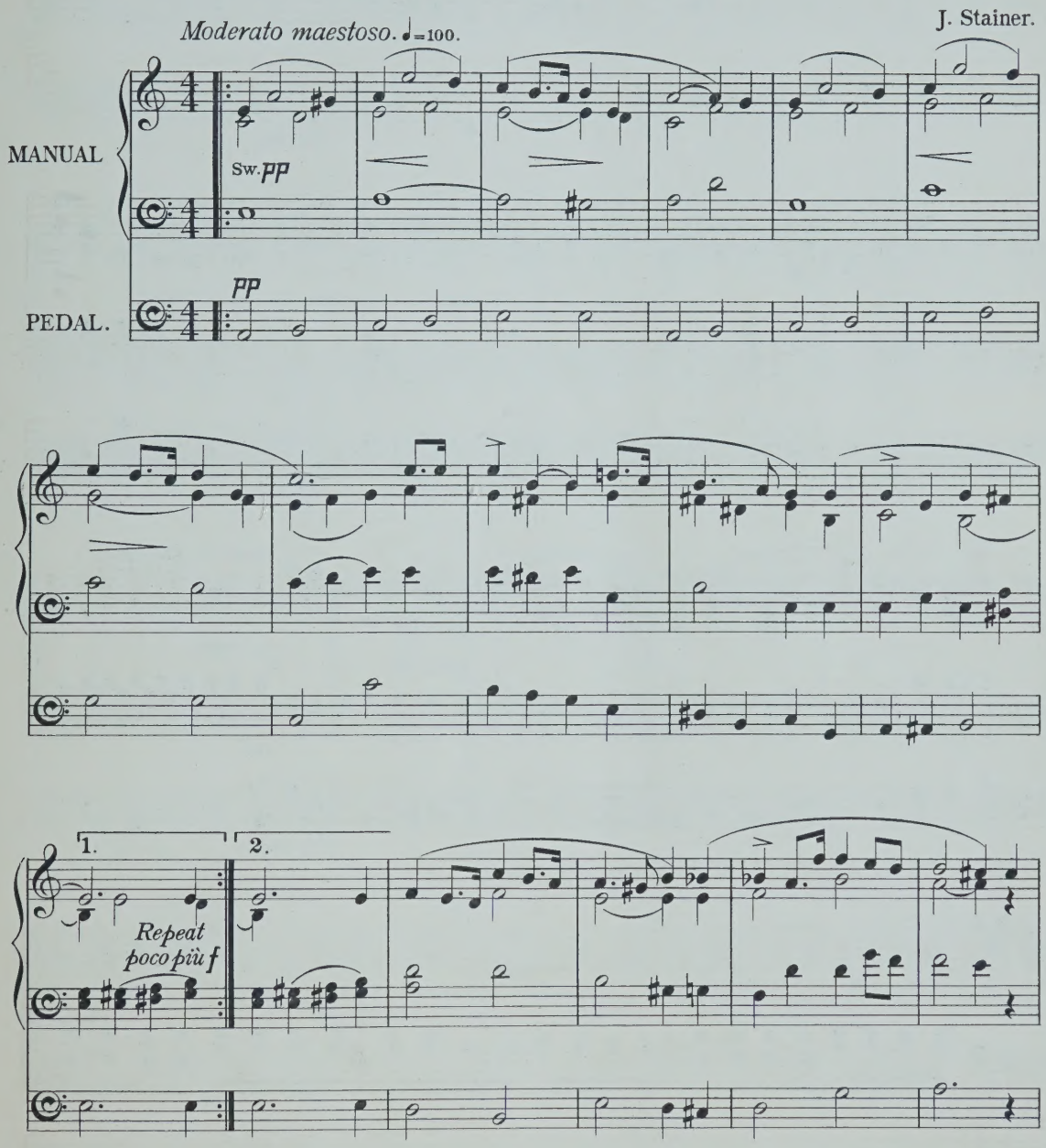

Gt Solo stop
Sw.
Gt
Sw.
poco cresc.
Sw.p
Gt to Ped.in
p
Gt
sf
poco cresc.
add 4 ft to Sw.
dim.
4 ft in


Sw.
pp
Gt
Gt p
5f
Sw. add 4 ft
poco riten.
4 ft in
a tempo
Gt mf
Sw. p
mf Gt to Ped.
p Gt to Ped. in
Gt mf
rall.
mf
Gt to Ped.

Processional to Calvary.

FROM "THE CRUCIFIXION."

(Concluding Voluntary.)



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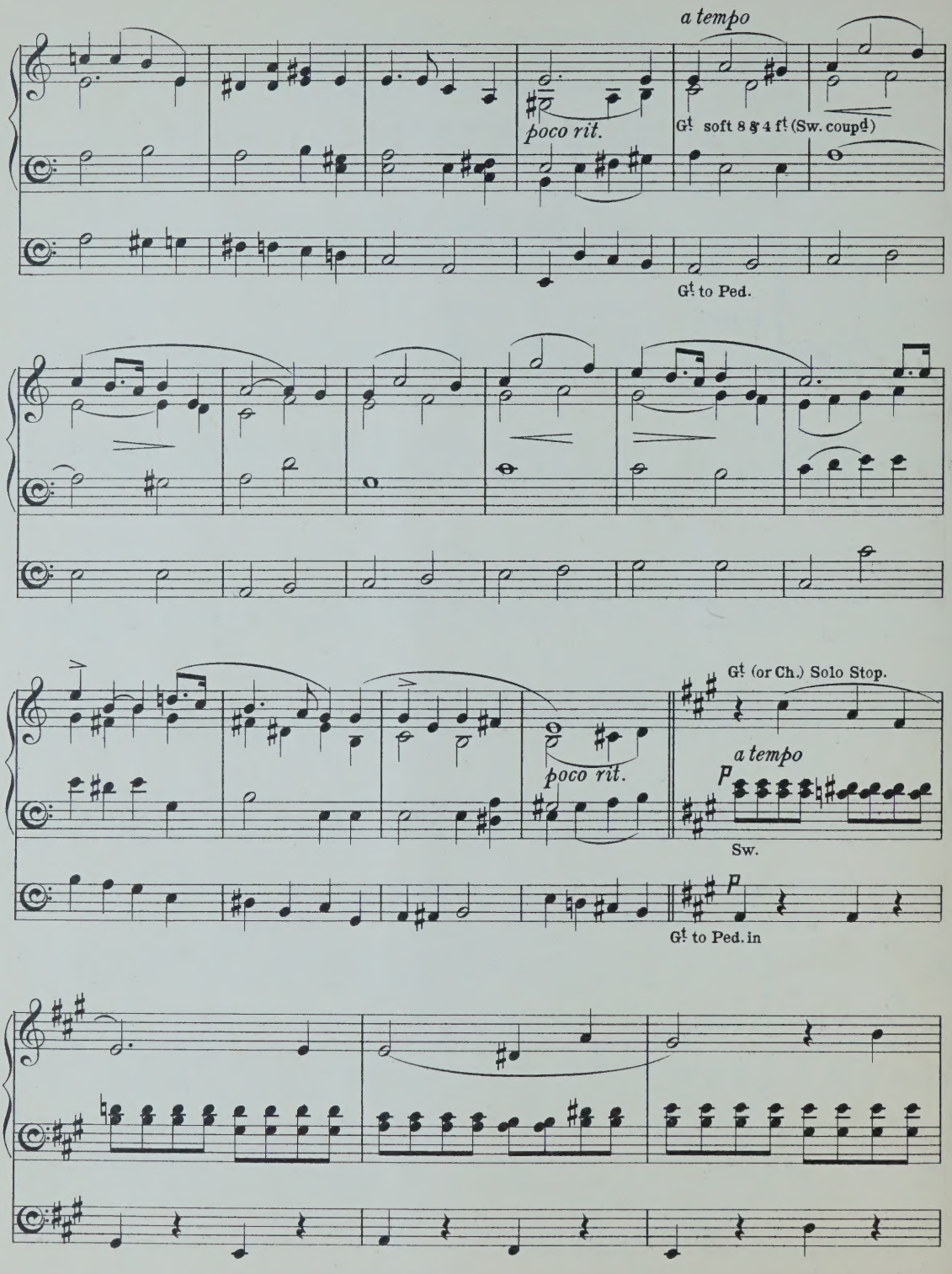
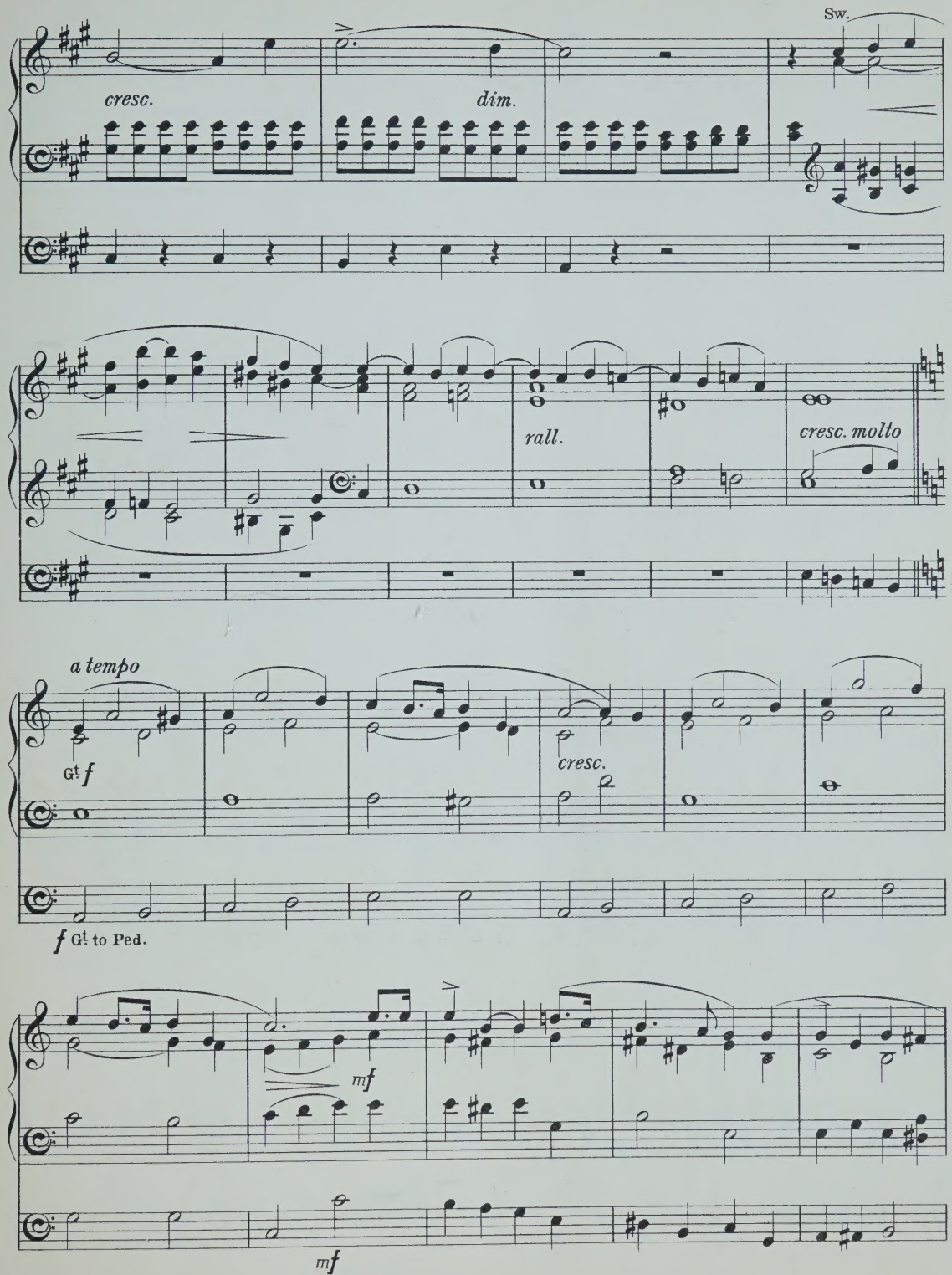
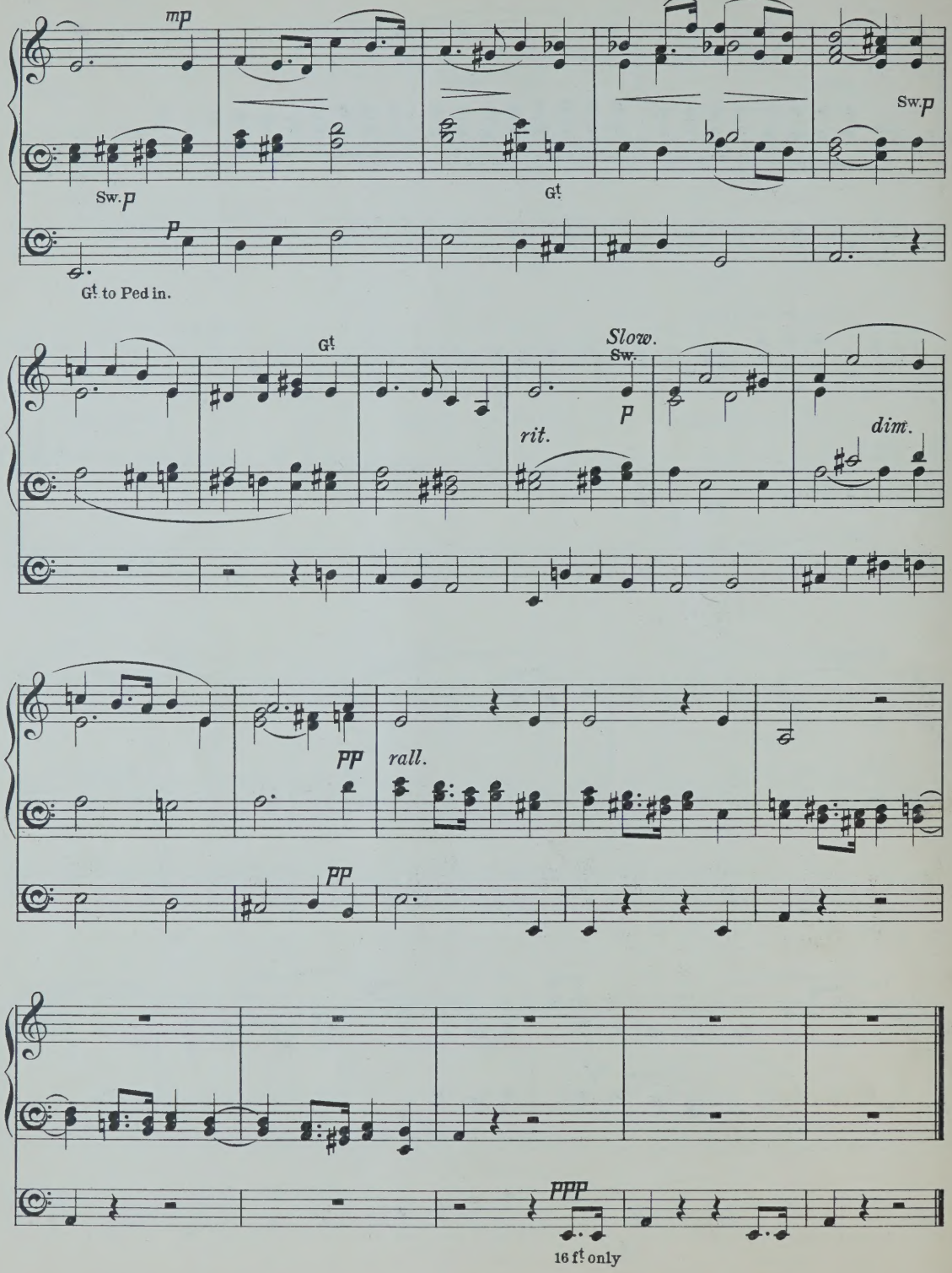

a tempo
poco rit.
G! soft 8 & 4 f! (Sw. coupd)
G! to Ped.
poco rit.
G! (or Ch.) Solo Stop.
a tempo
p
Sw.
p
G! to Ped. in


Sw.
cresc.
dim.
rall.
cresc. molto
a tempo
Gt f
cresc.
f Gt to Ped.
mf
mf


mp
Sw. p
Gt
Sw. p
p
Gt to Ped in.
Gt
Slow.
Sw.
p
rit.
dim.
pp
rall.
pp
ppp
16 ft only

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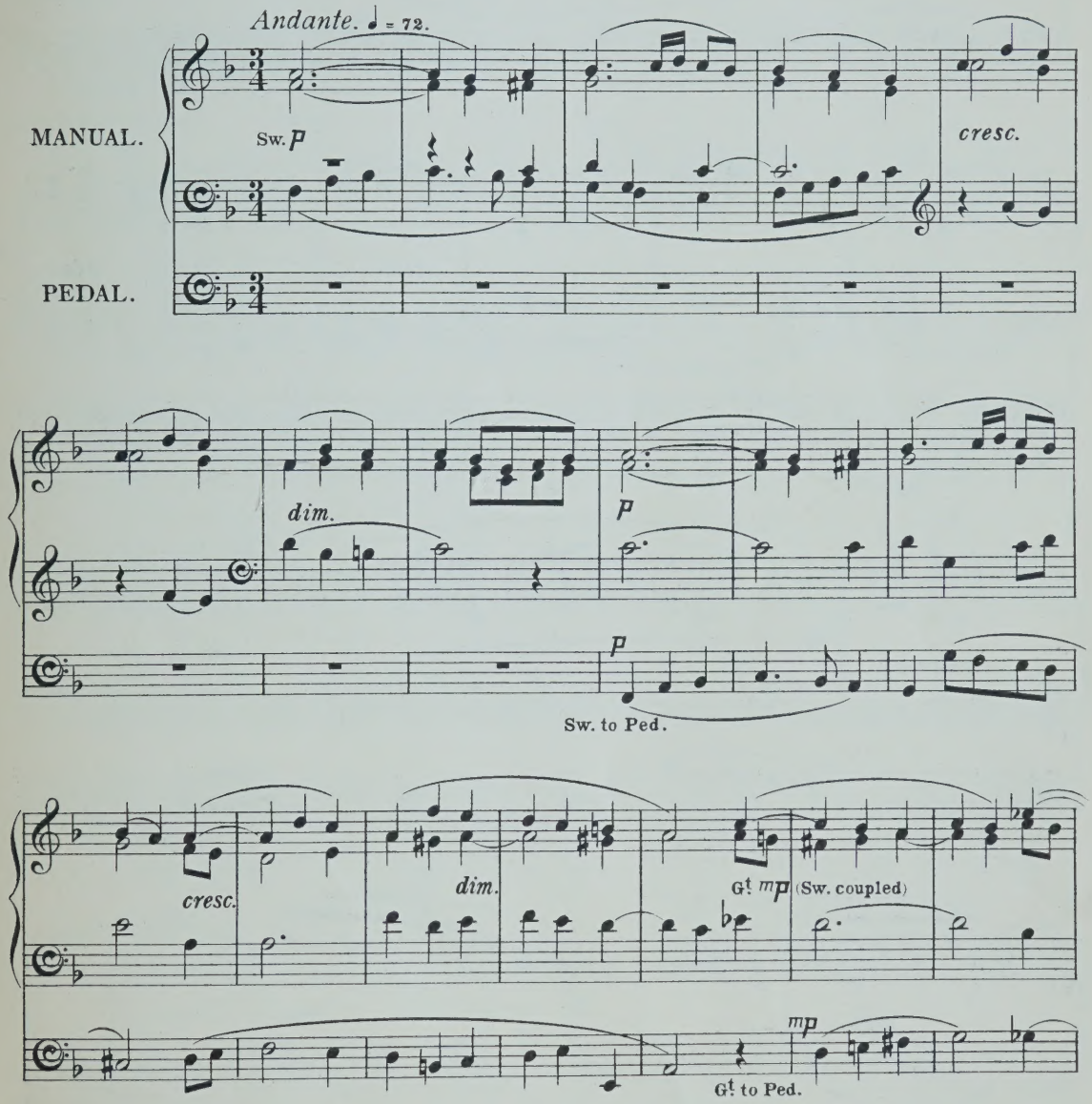
Prelude.

Op. 156. N°1.

(Introductory or Ante-Communion Voluntary.)

Gustav Merkel.



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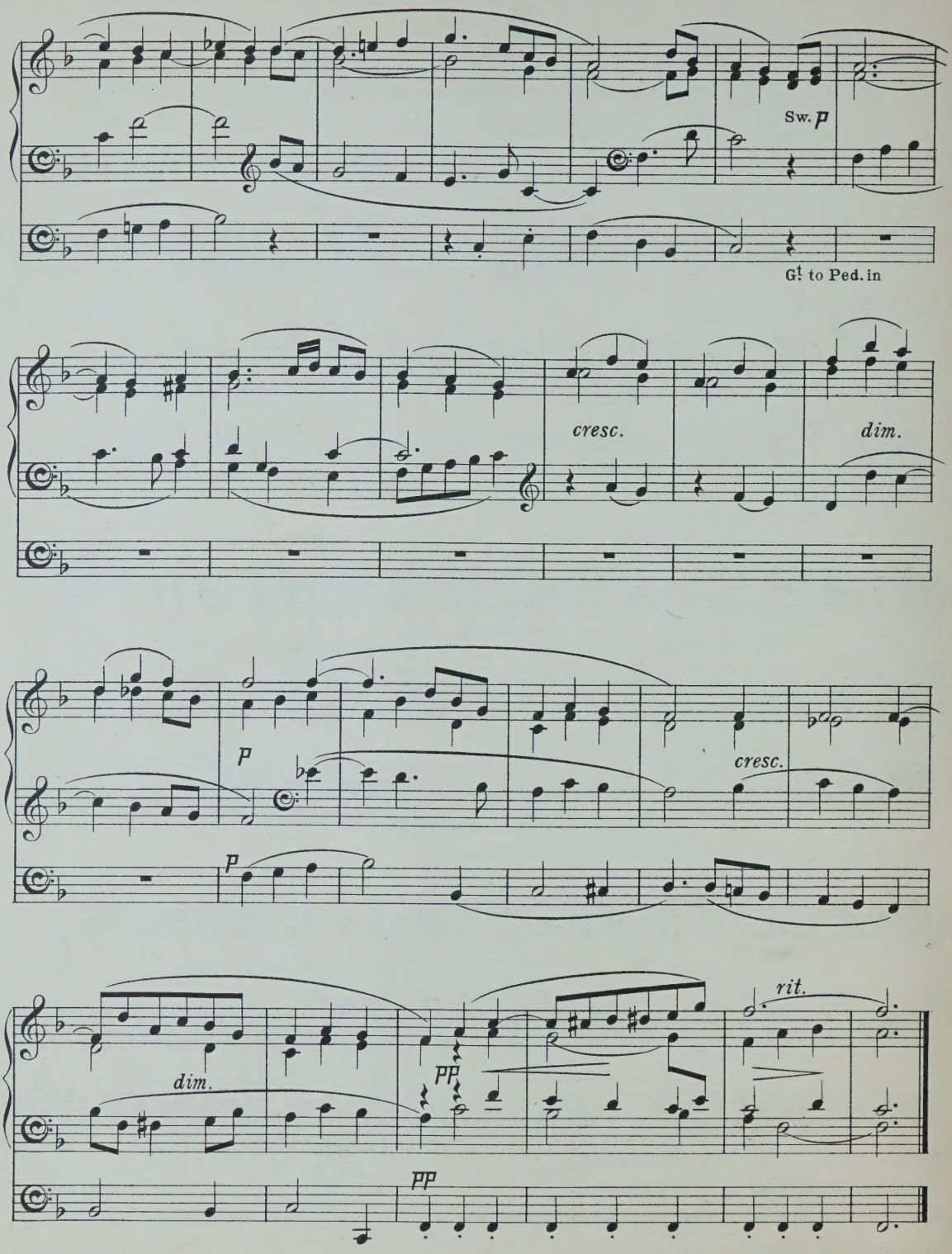

Sw. p
G! to Ped. in
cresc.
dim.
p
p
cresc.
dim.
pp
pp
rit.

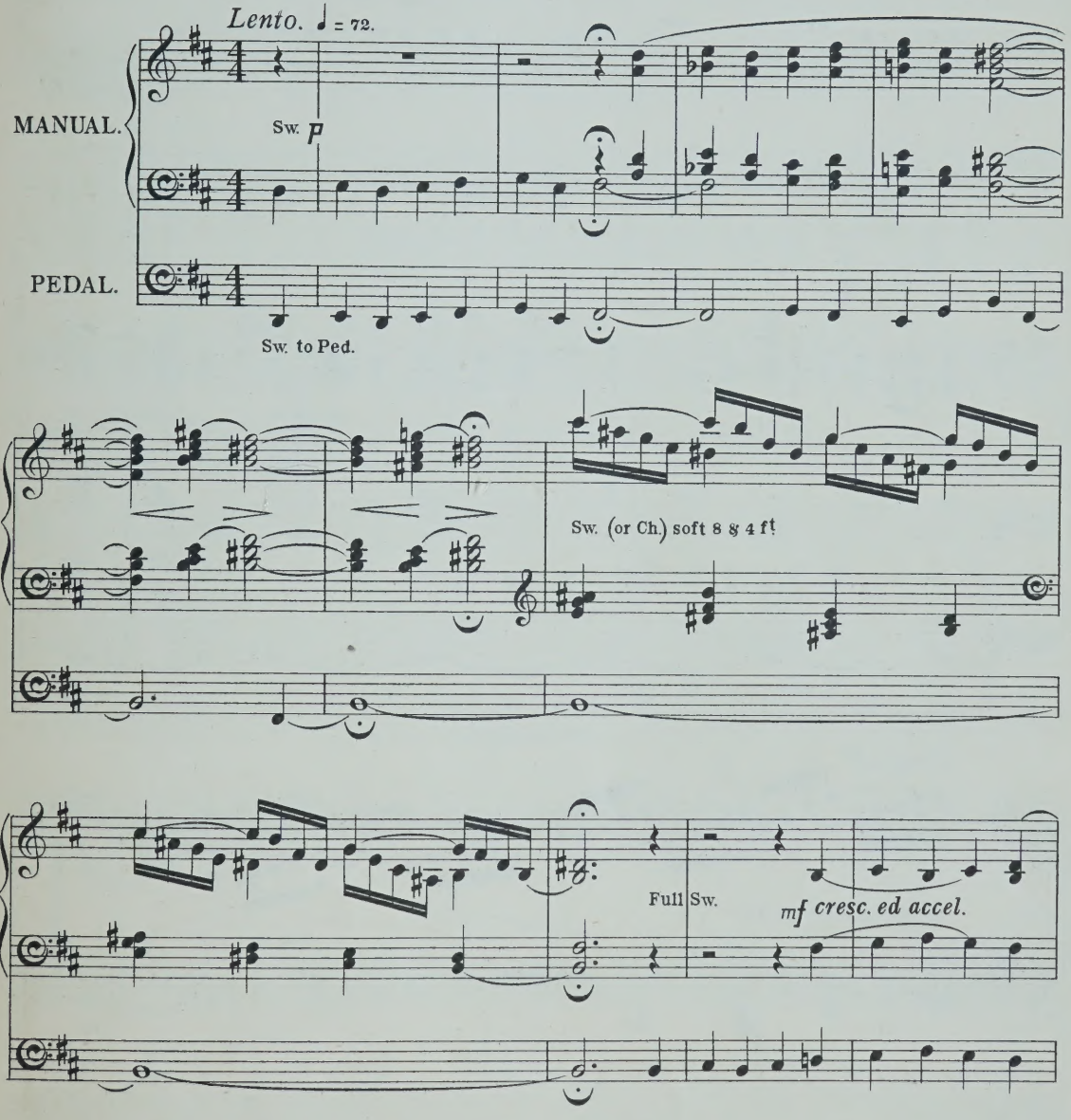
Fantasia

"upon the Plainsong Melody."

"AD CŒNAM AGNI."

(Concluding Voluntary.)

Healey Willan.



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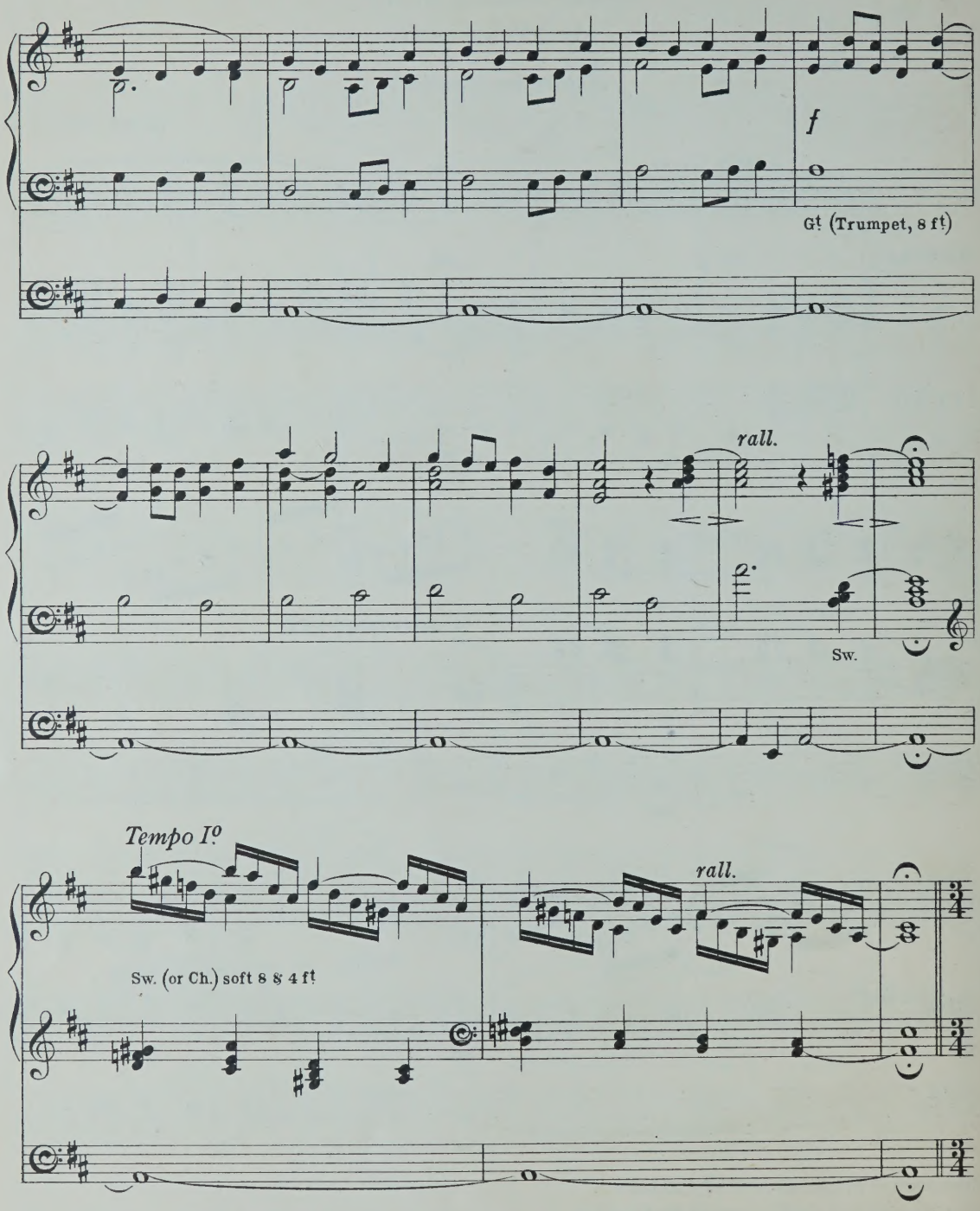
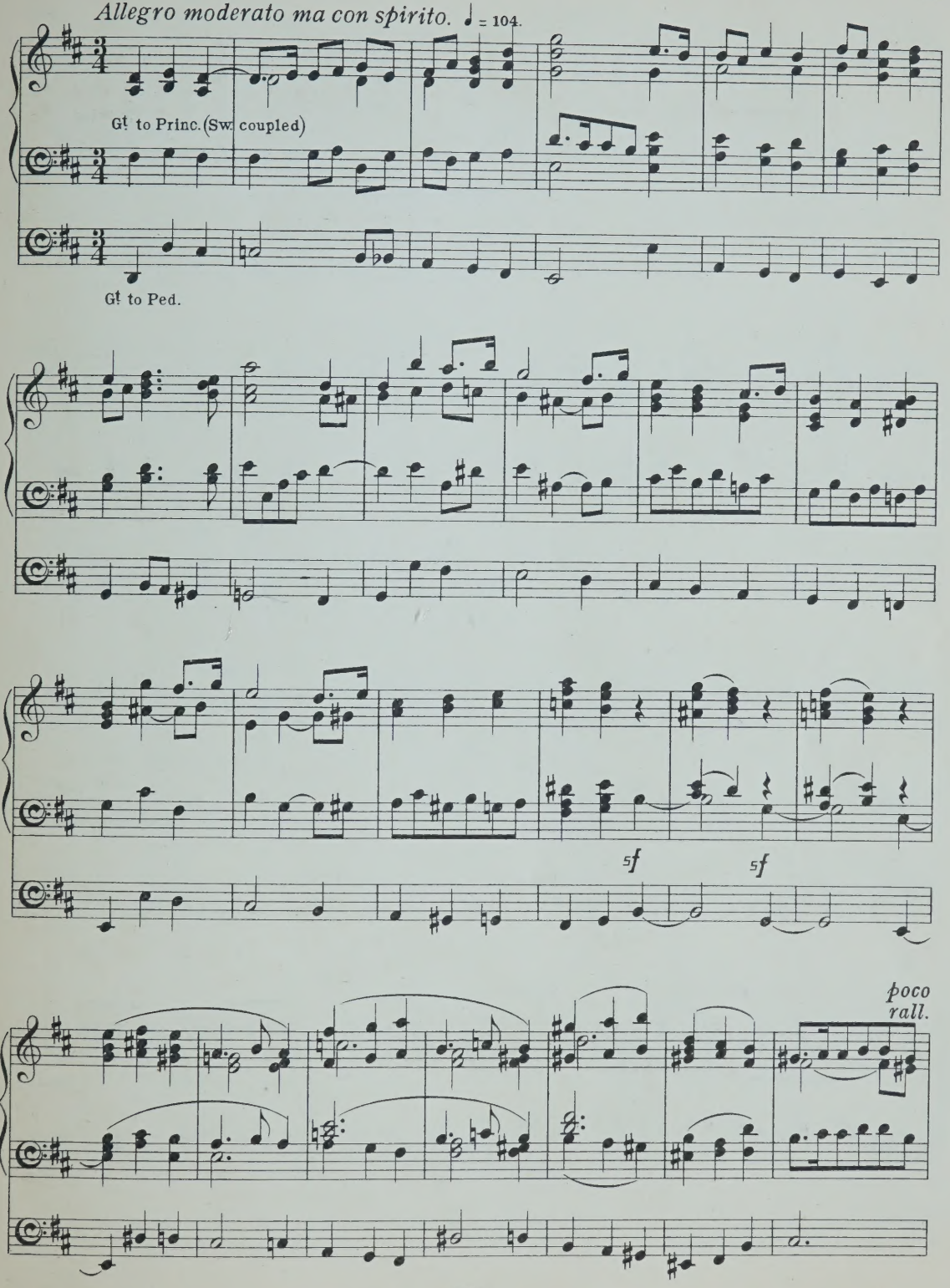
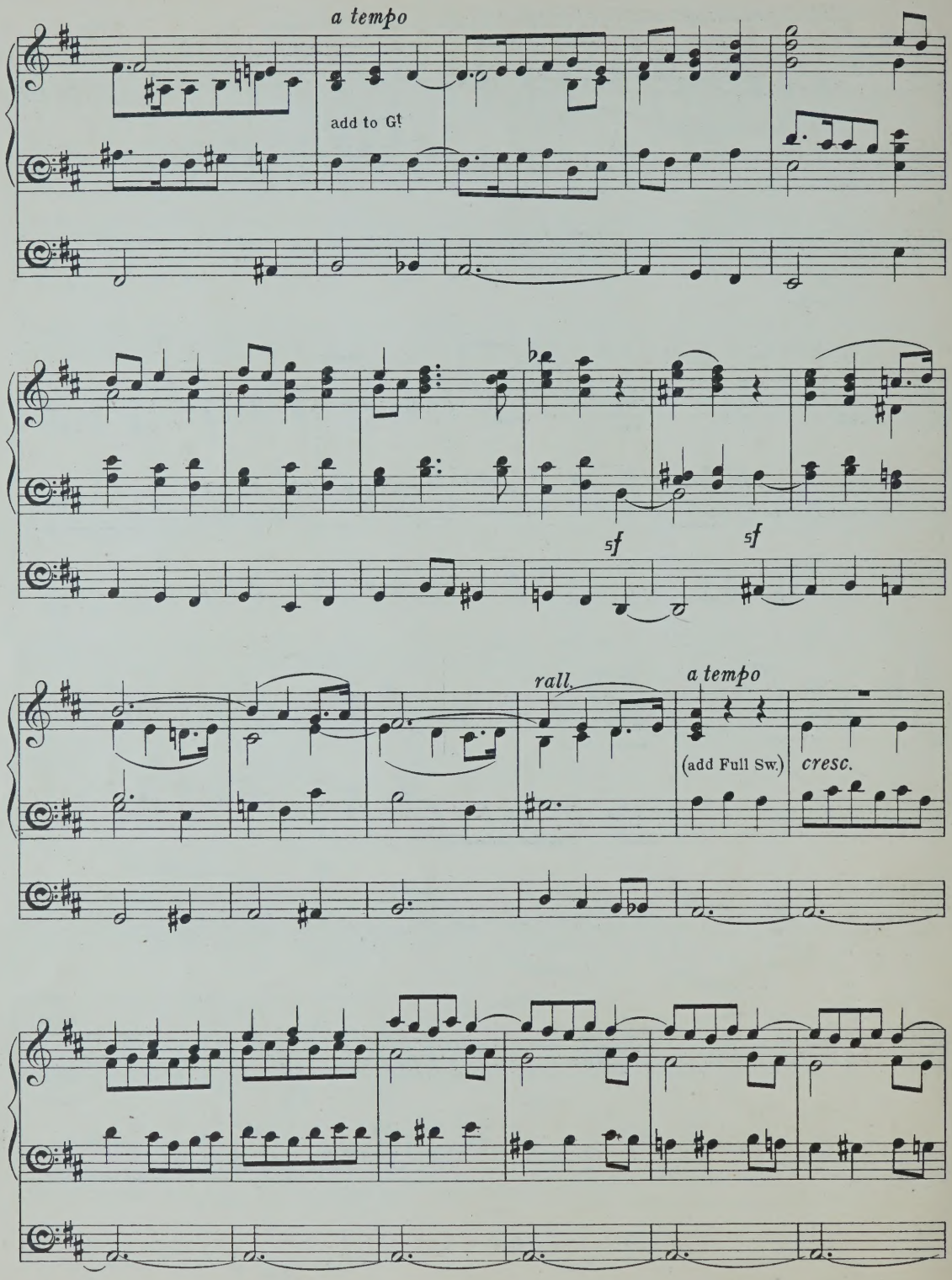
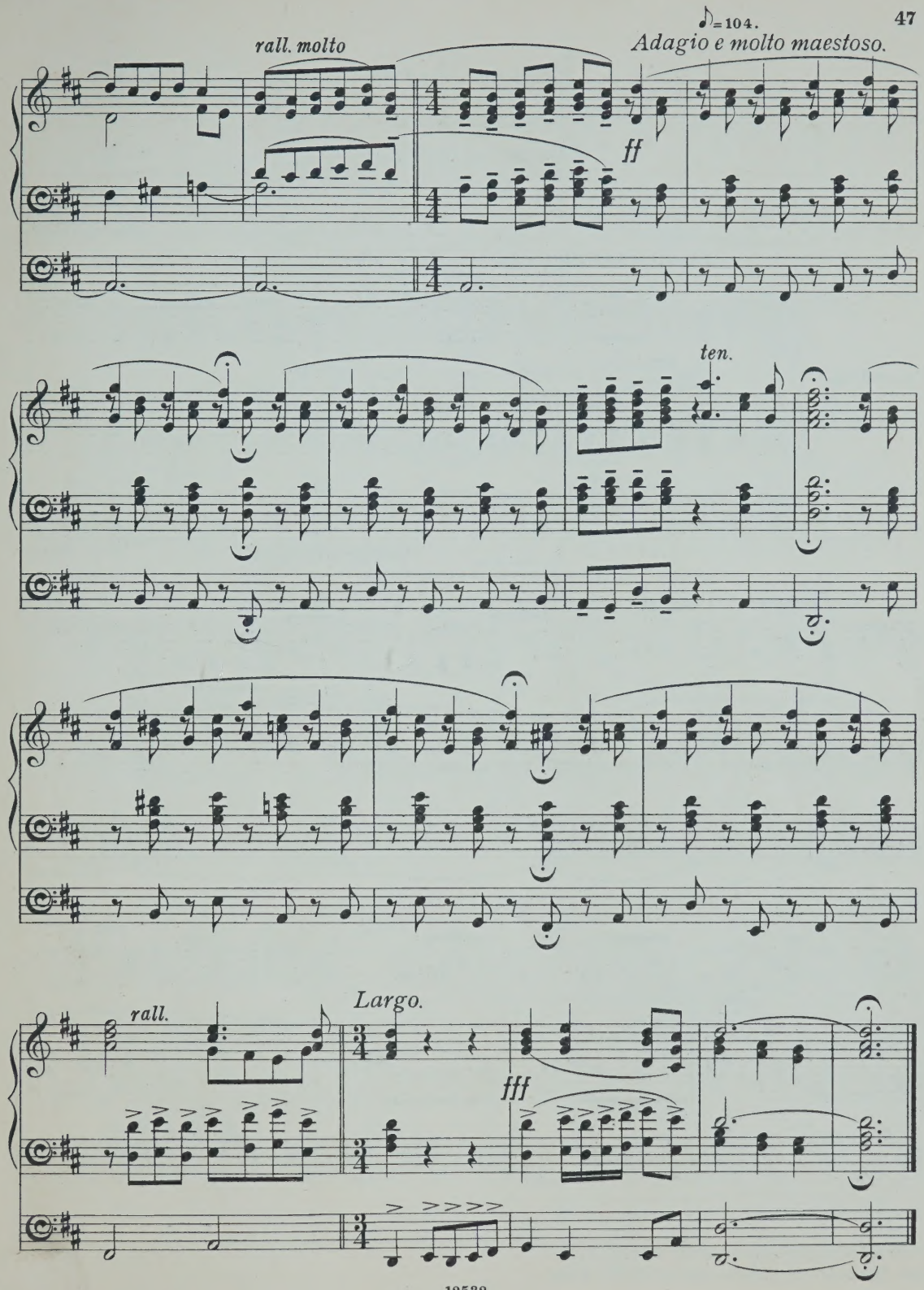

f
G! (Trumpet, 8 ft)
rall.
Sw.
Tempo I°
rall.
Sw. (or Ch.) soft 8 8 4 ft


Allegro moderato ma con spirito. ♩ = 104.
Gt to Princ. (Sw. coupled)
Gt to Ped.
5f
5f
poco
rall.


a tempo
add to G!
sf
sf
rall.
a tempo
(add Full Sw.)
cresc.

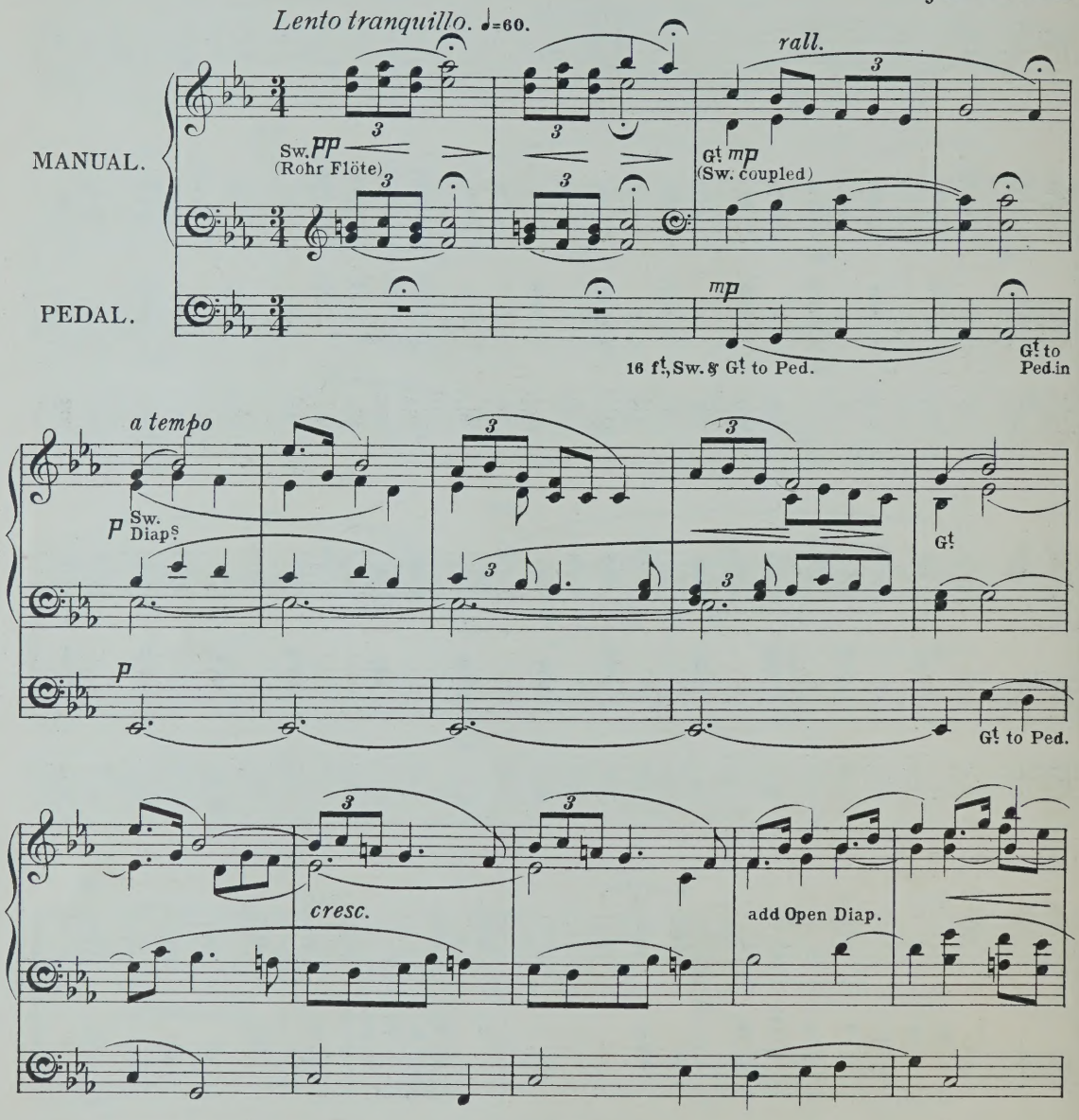

♪=104.
rall. molto
Adagio e molto maestoso.
ff
ten.
rall.
Largo.
fff

Easter Morn.

A MEDITATION.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

John E. West.



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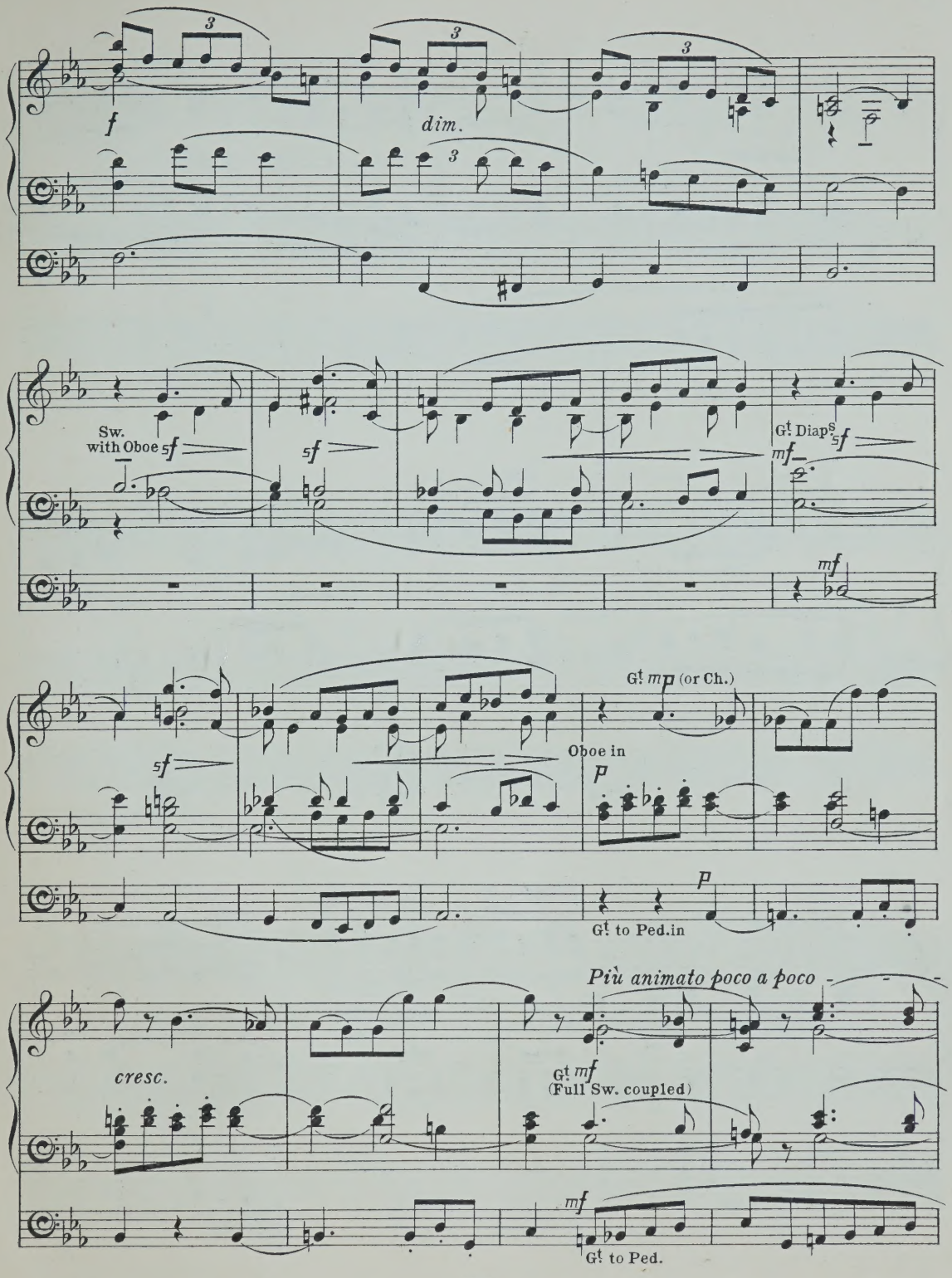
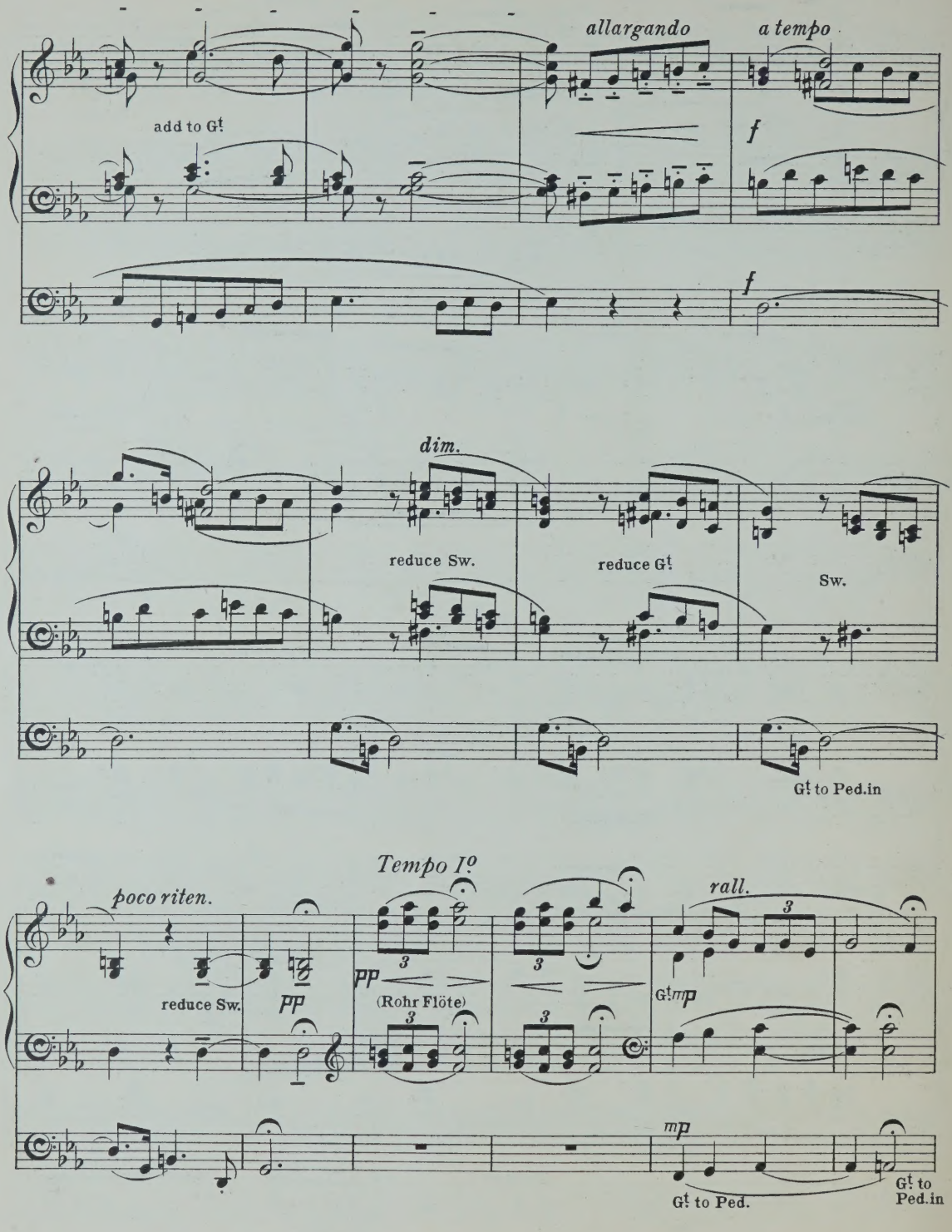
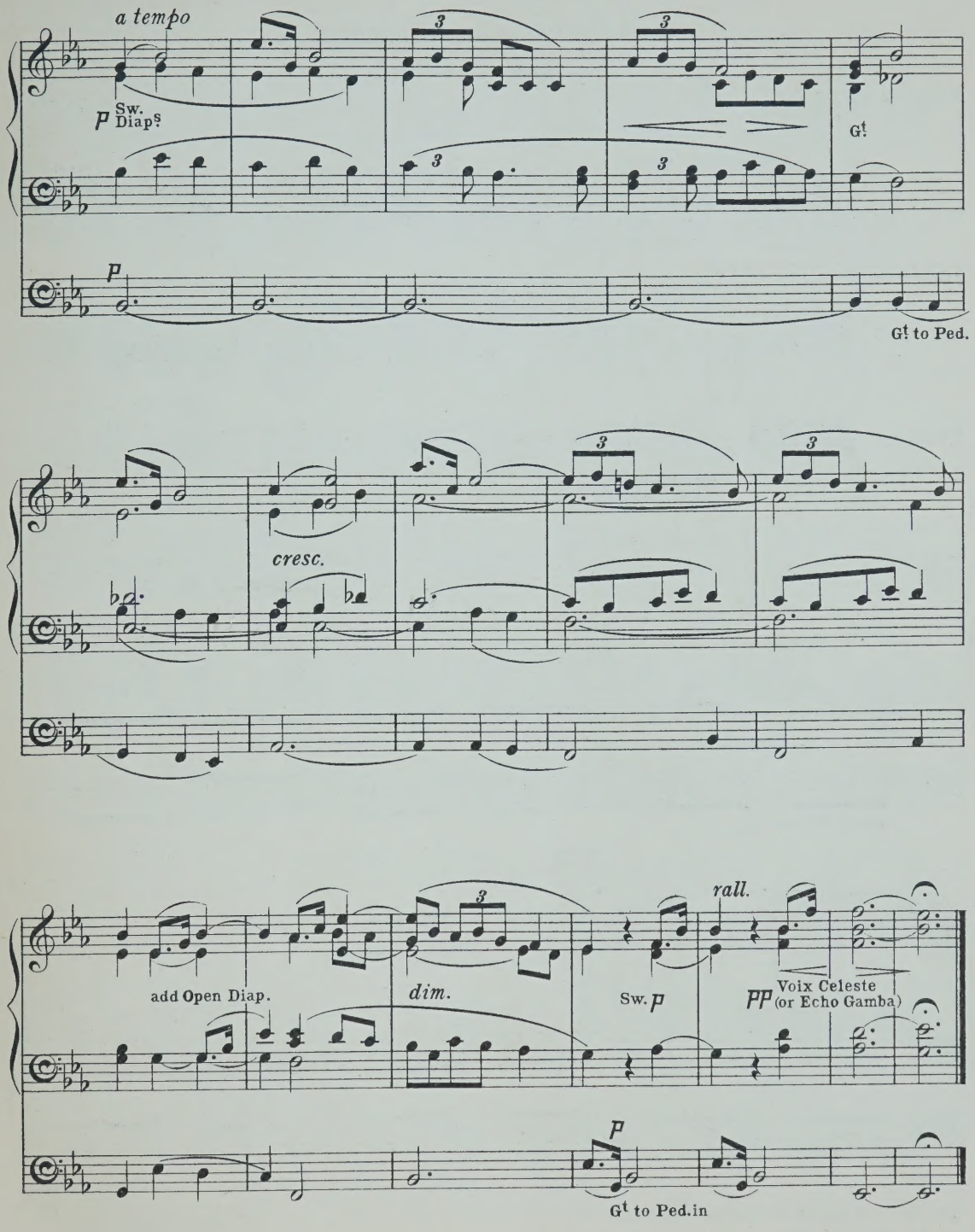

f
dim.
Sw.
with Oboe sf
sf
Gt Diap s sf
mf
mf
sf
Gt mp (or Ch.)
Oboe in
p
p
Gt to Ped.in
Più animato poco a poco
cresc.
Gt mf
(Full Sw. coupled)
mf
Gt to Ped.


allargando
a tempo
add to G!
f
f
dim.
reduce Sw.
reduce G!
Sw.
G! to Ped.in
Tempo Iº
poco riten.
rall.
reduce Sw.
pp
pp
(Rohr Flöte)
G! mp
mp
G! to Ped.
G! to Ped.in


a tempo
p Sw. Diap.s
G.t
p
G.t to Ped.
cresc.
add Open Diap.
dim.
rall.
Sw. p
pp Voix Celeste (or Echo Gamba)
p
G.t to Ped.in

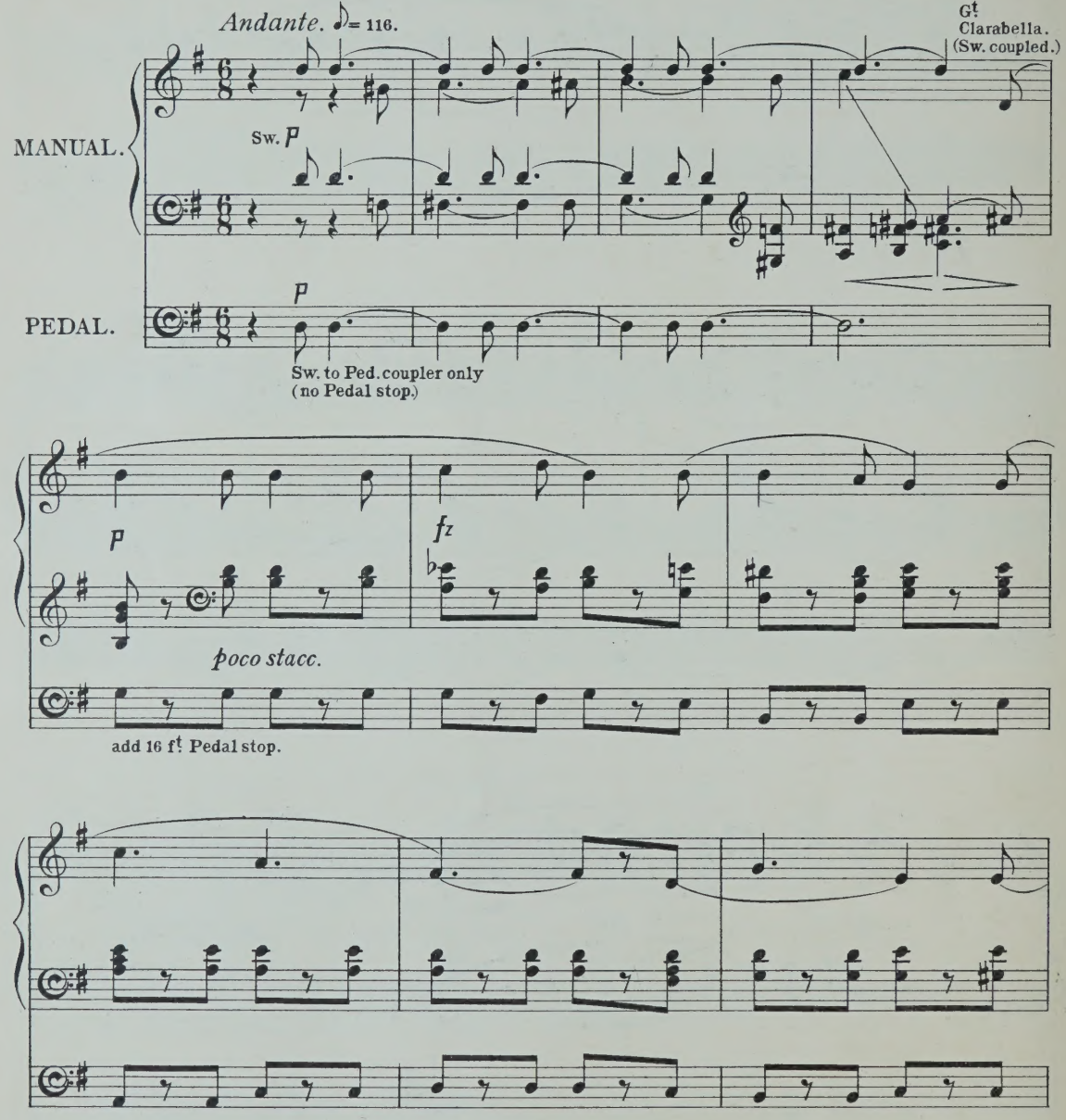
"All glory to the Lamb that died."

FROM "THE LAST JUDGMENT."

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Original key—A flat.

L. Spohr.



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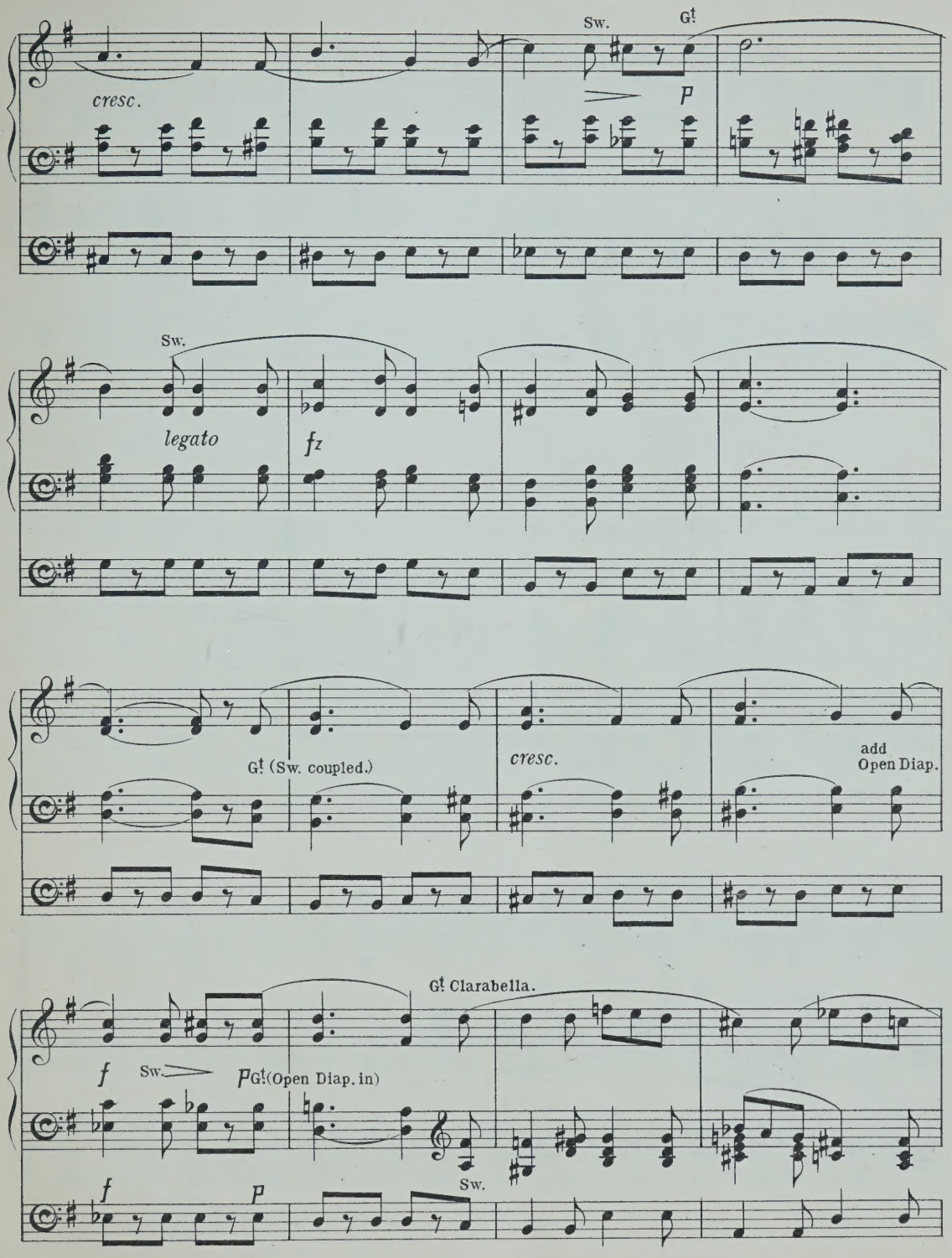
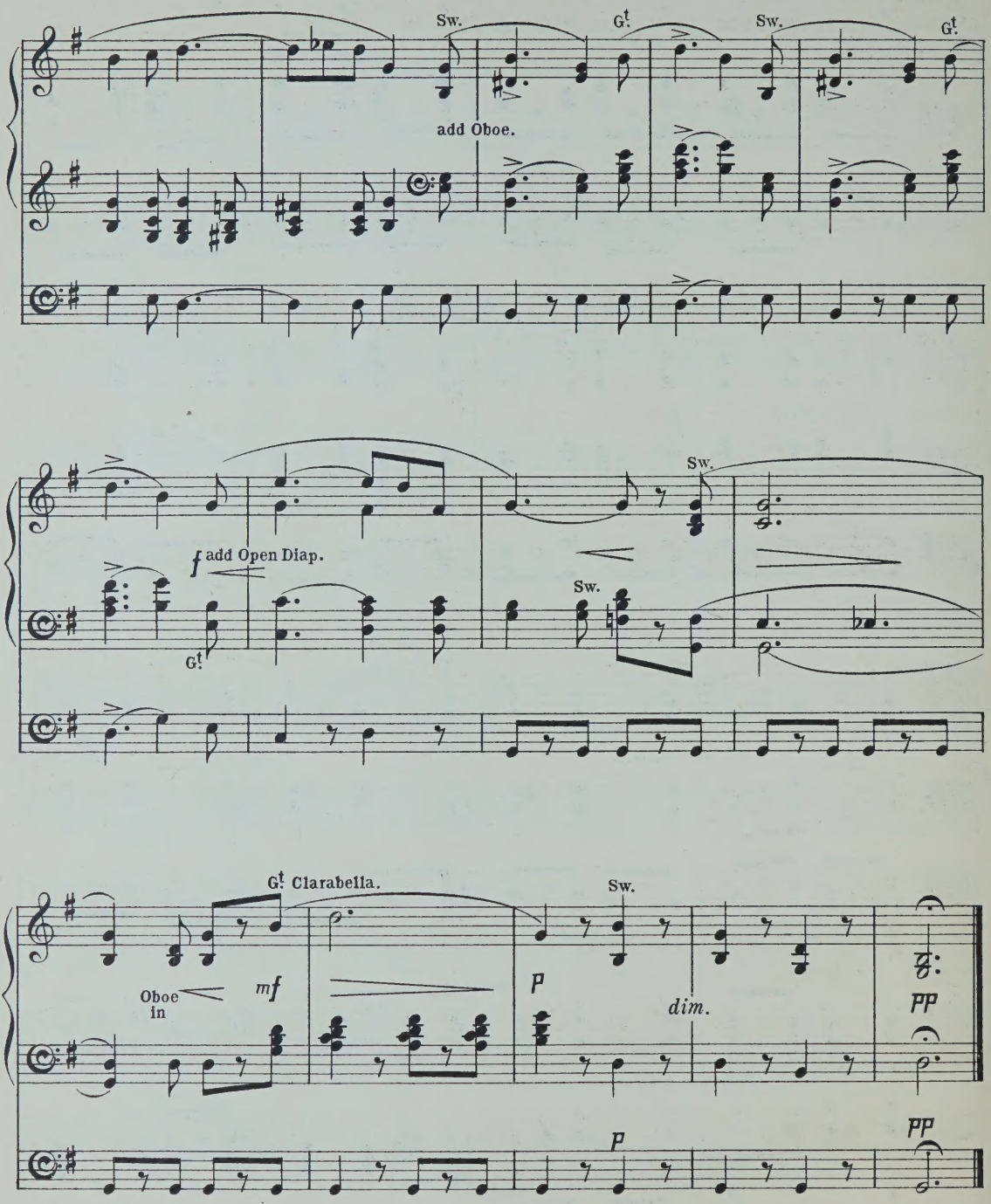
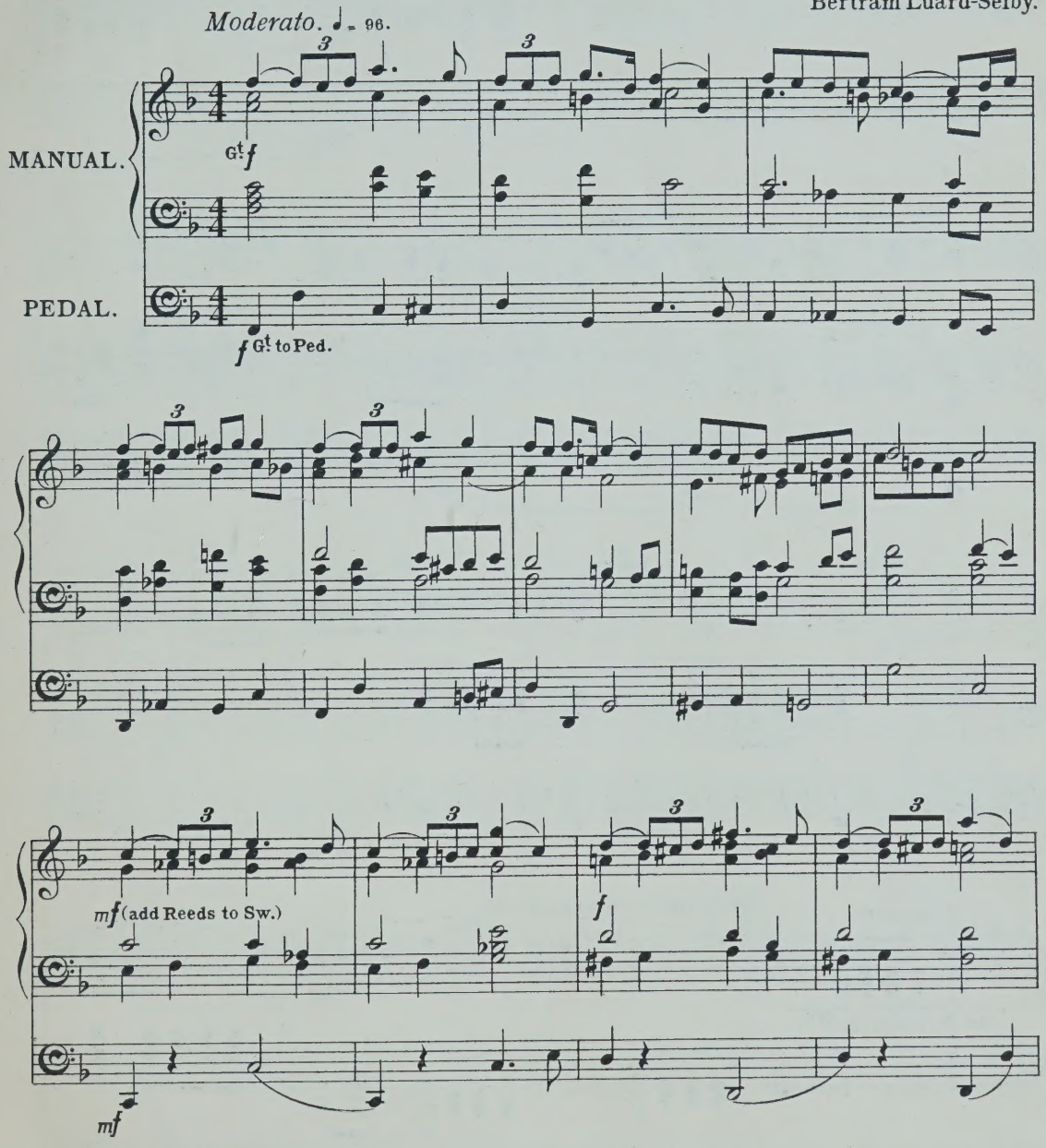

Sw.
Gt
cresc.
p
Sw.
legato
fz
Gt (Sw. coupled.)
cresc.
add
Open Diap.
Gt Clarabella.
f
Sw.
p
Gt (Open Diap. in)
f
p
Sw.


Sw.
G!
Sw.
G!
add Oboe.
Sw.
f add Open Diap.
G!
Sw.
G! Clarabella.
Sw.
Oboe in
mf
p
dim.
pp
p
pp

Triumphal March

(introducing the Hymn Tune "THE STRIFE IS O'ER.")

Bertram Luard-Selby.



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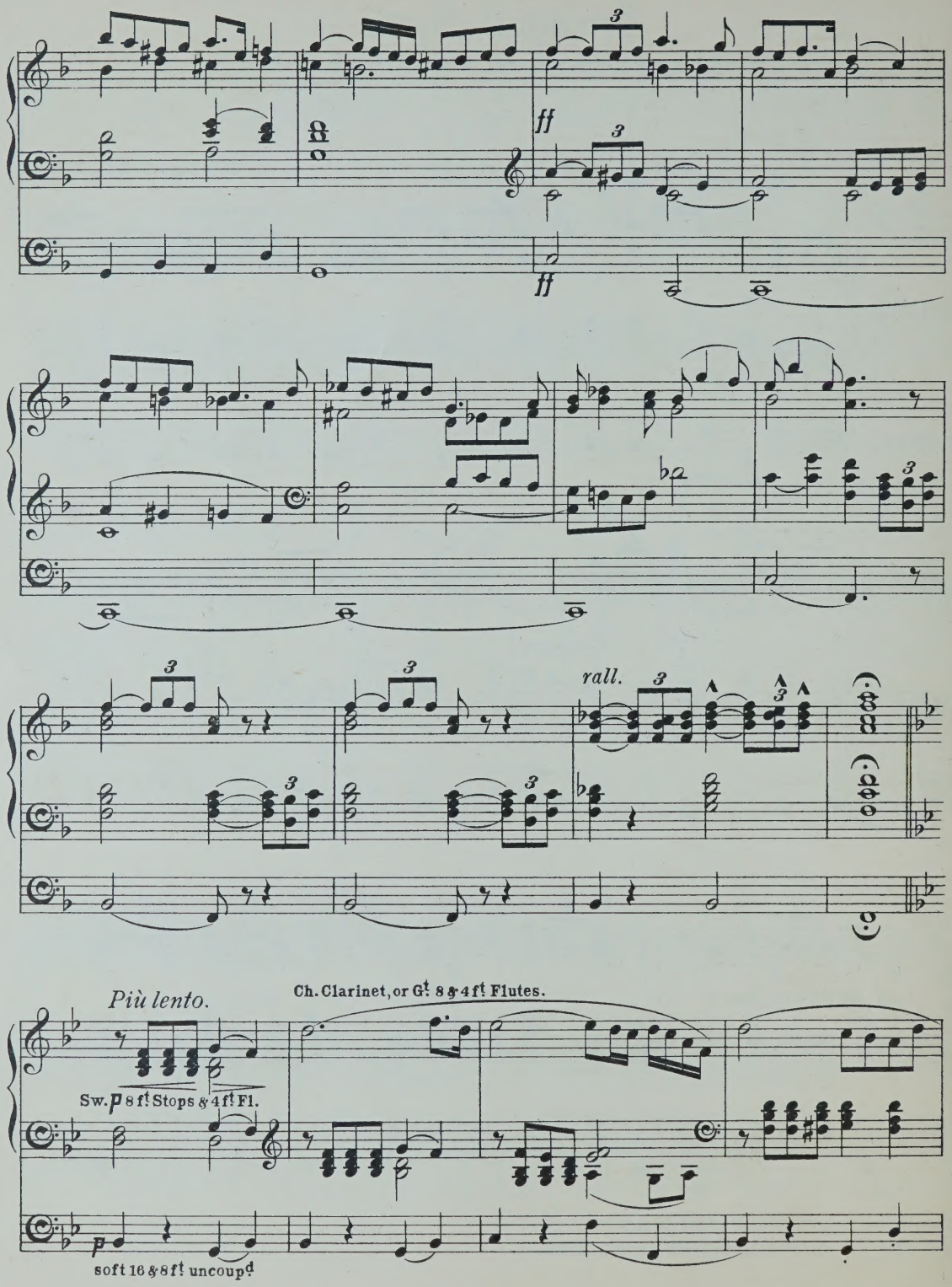
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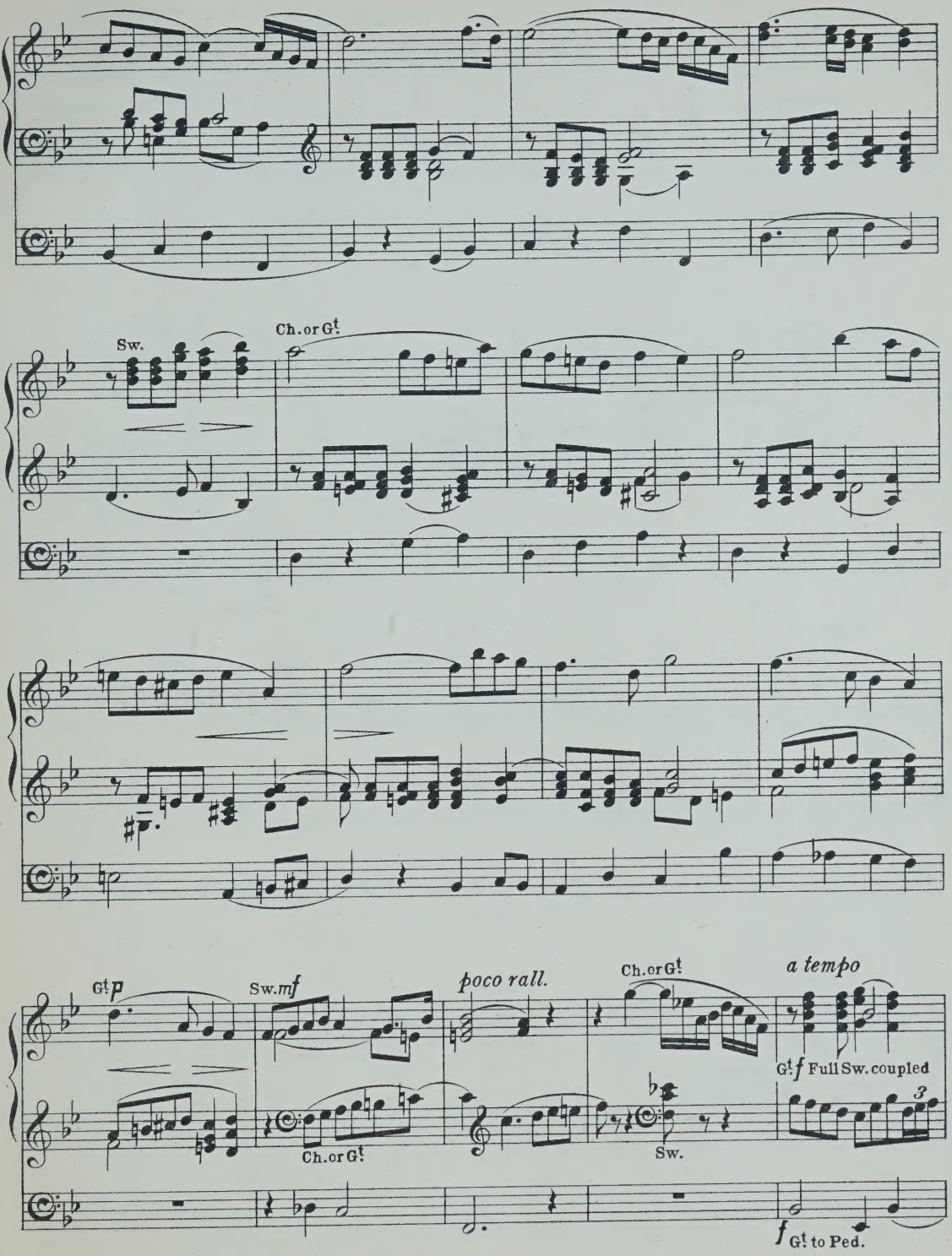
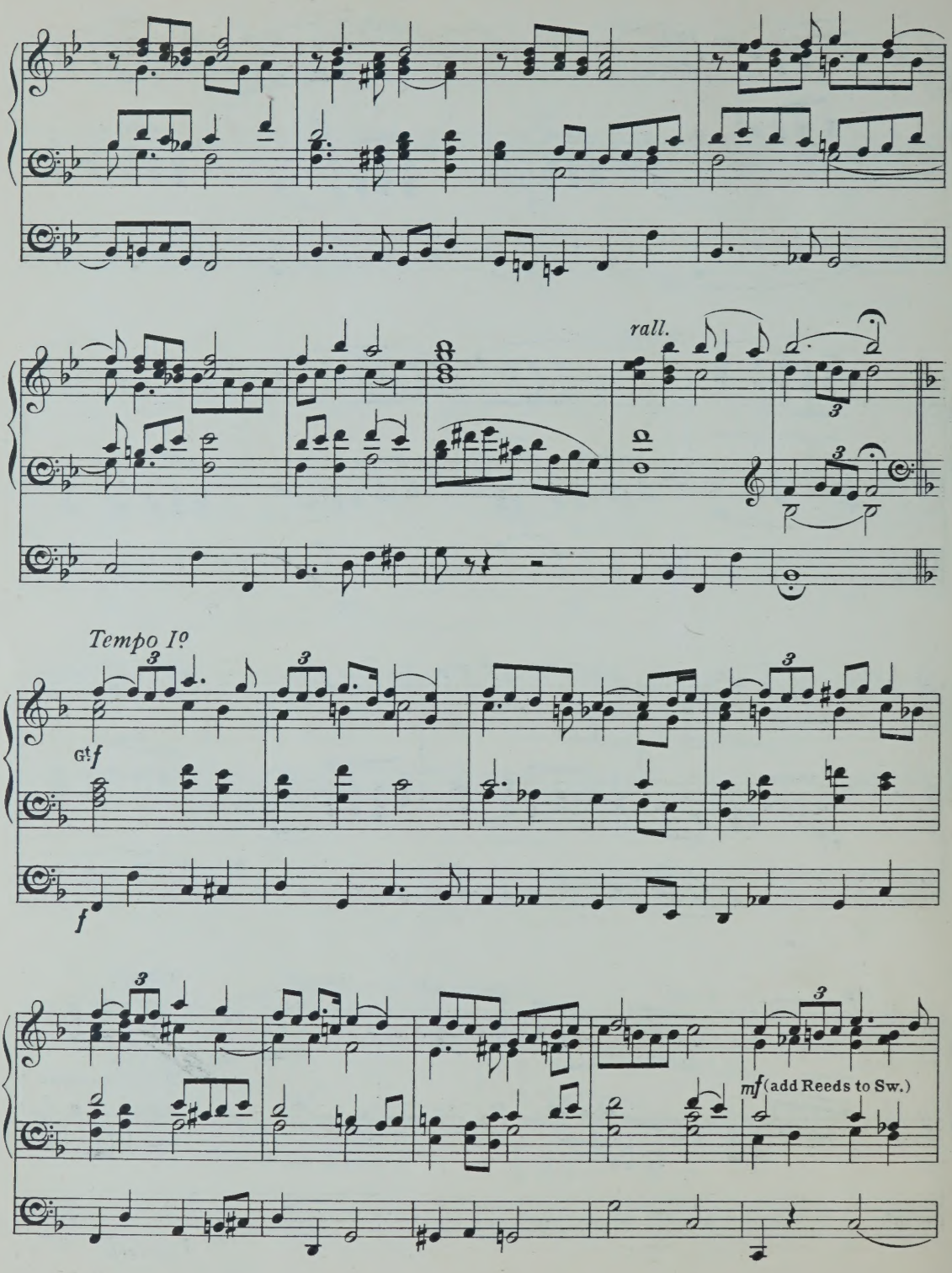
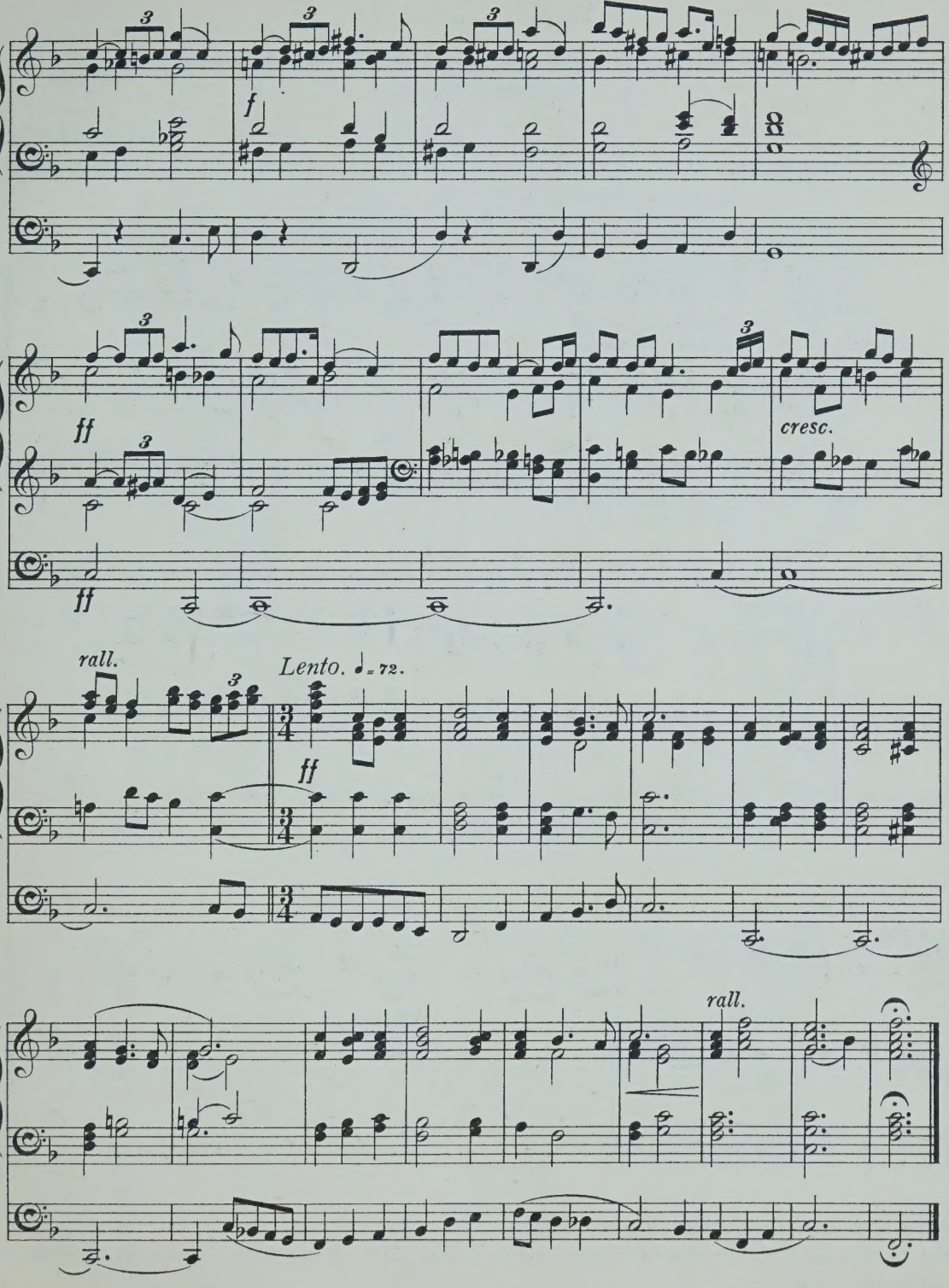
ff
rall.
Più lento.
Ch. Clarinet, or Gt. 8 & 4 ft. Flutes.
Sw. p 8 ft. Stops & 4 ft. Fl.
p
soft 16 & 8 ft. uncoupd.


Sw.
Ch. or G!
G! p
Sw. mf
poco rall.
Ch. or G!
a tempo
G! f Full Sw. coupled
3
Ch. or G!
Sw.
f G! to Ped.


rall.
Tempo Iº
Gt f
f
mf (add Reeds to Sw.)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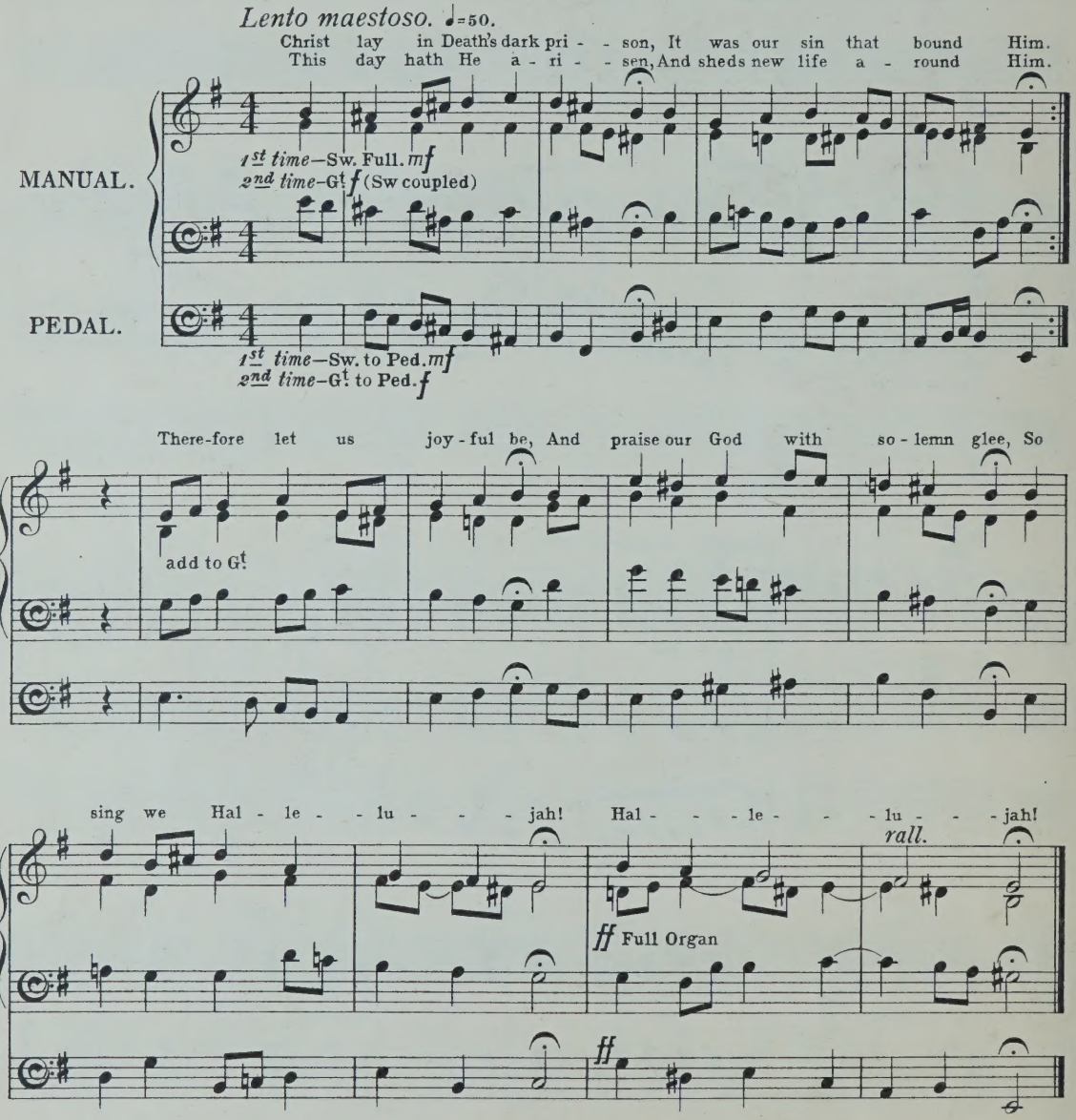
ff
ff
cresc.
rall.
Lento. ♩= 72.
ff
rall.

Easter Chorale.

„Christ lag in Todesbanden." ("Christ lay in Death's dark prison.")

(Concluding Voluntary.)

Harmonized by
J. S. Bach.



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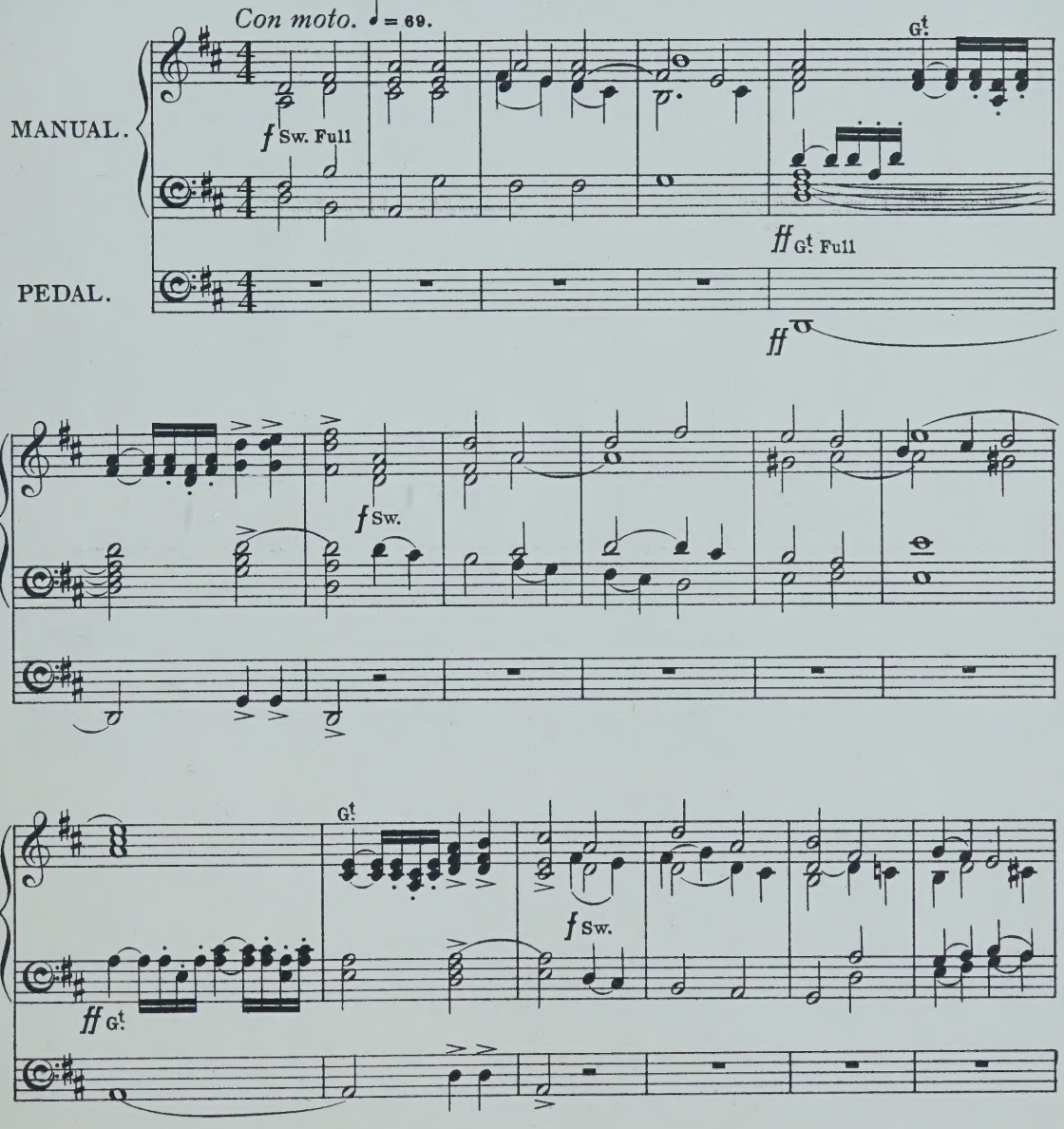
"Sleepers, Wake."

FROM "ST. PAUL".

(Concluding Voluntary.)

Mendelssohn.



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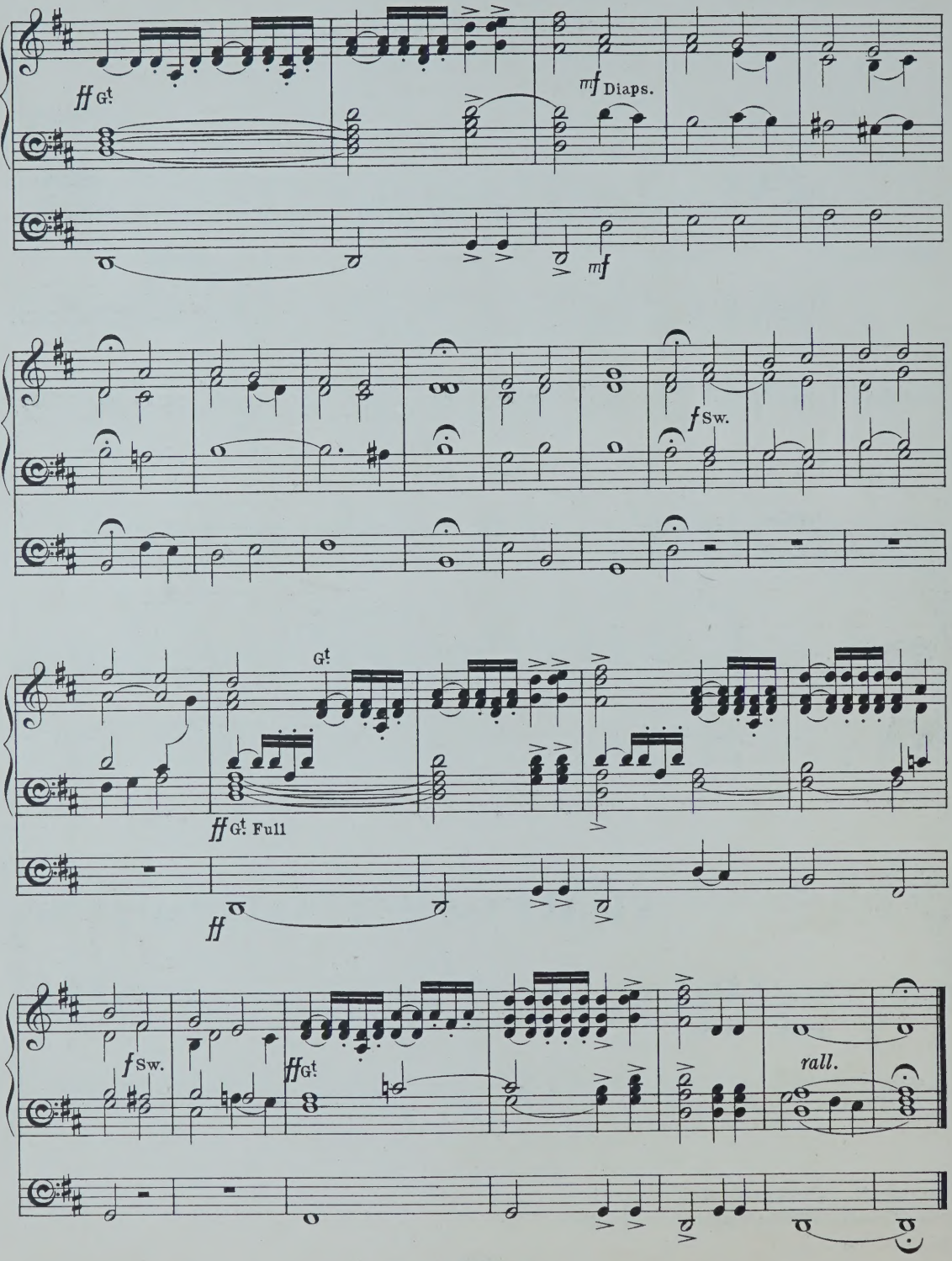
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mf Diaps.
mf
f Sw.
Gt.
ff Gt. Full
ff
f Sw.
ff Gt.
rall.

For the Feast of Epiphany.

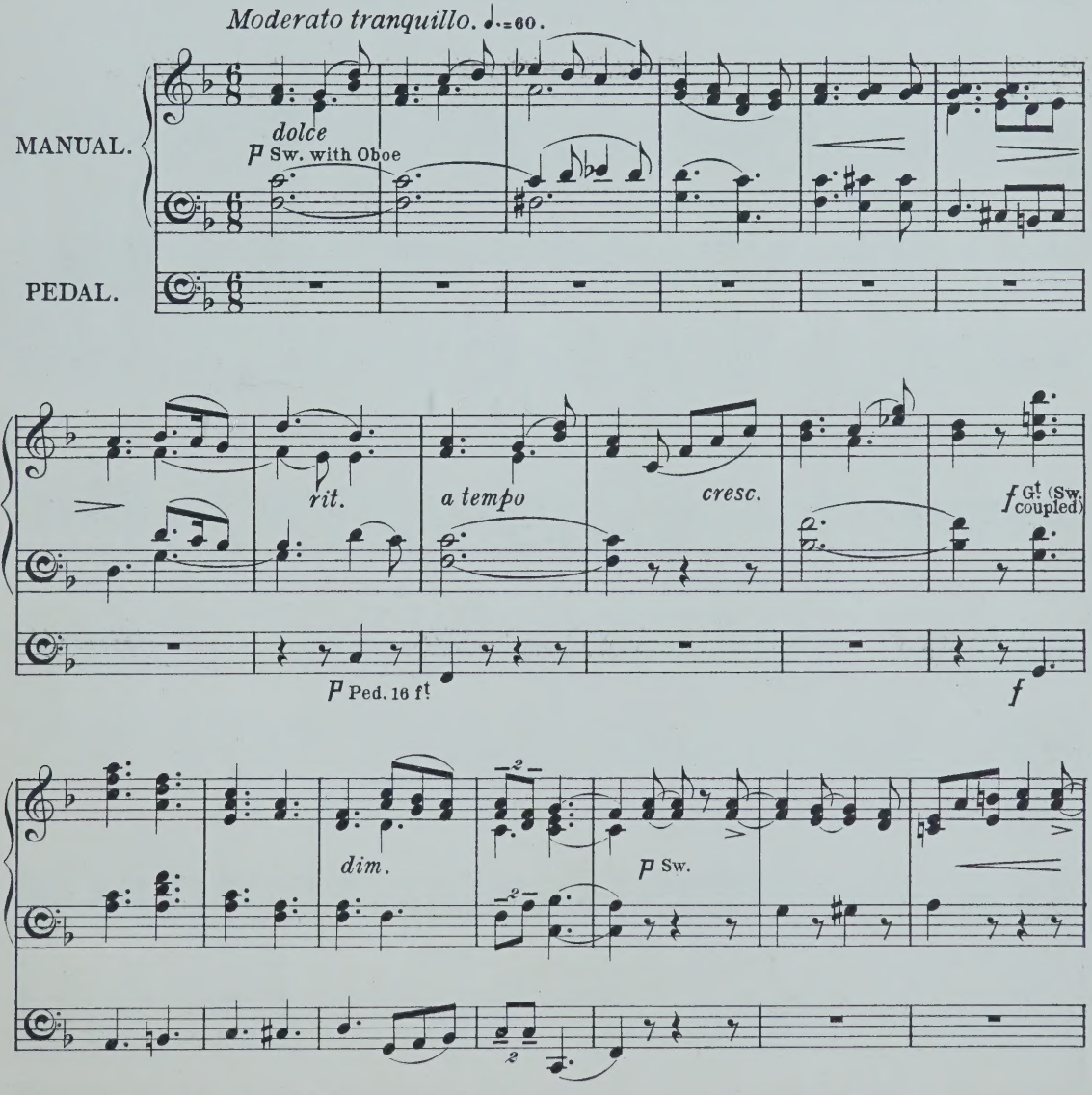
Meditation

"Cold on His cradle the dewdrops are shining,
Low lies His head with the beasts of the stall;
Angels adore Him in slumber reclining,
Maker, and Monarch, and Saviour of all."

Bishop Heber.

(Introductory or Middle Voluntary.)

Myles B. Foster.



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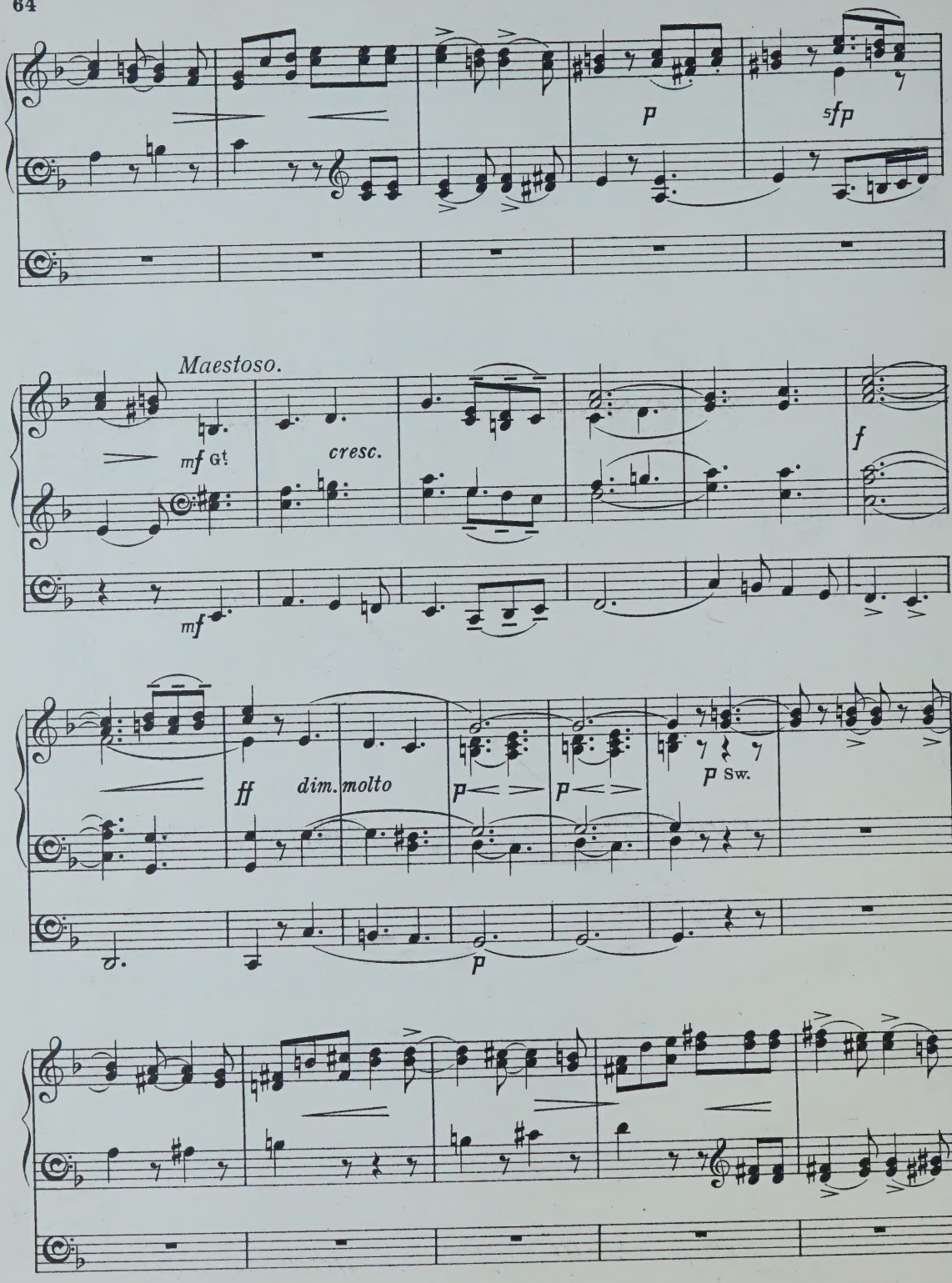
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cresc.
f
mf
ff
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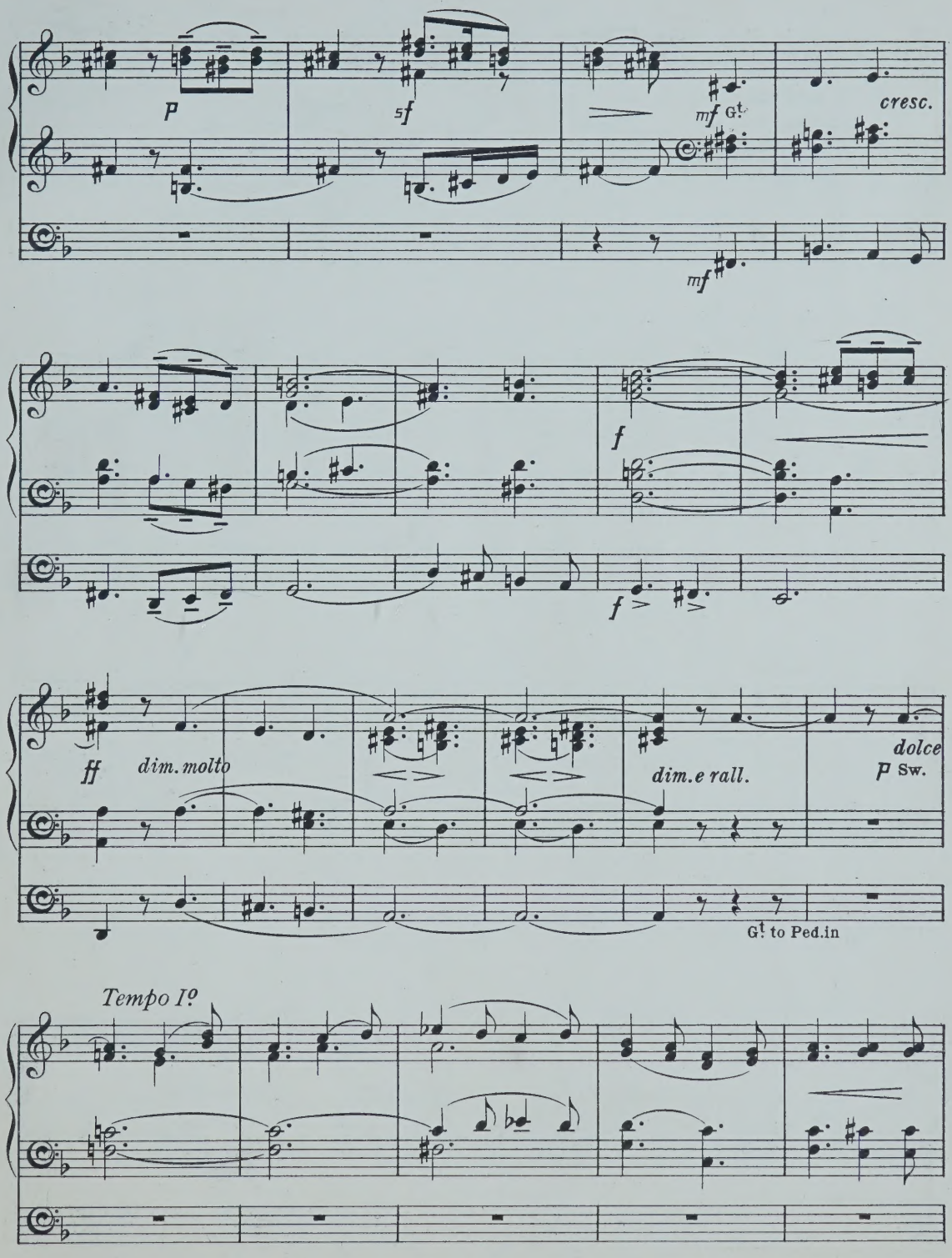
p
p
p Sw.
p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sf
mf G!
cresc.
mf
f
f
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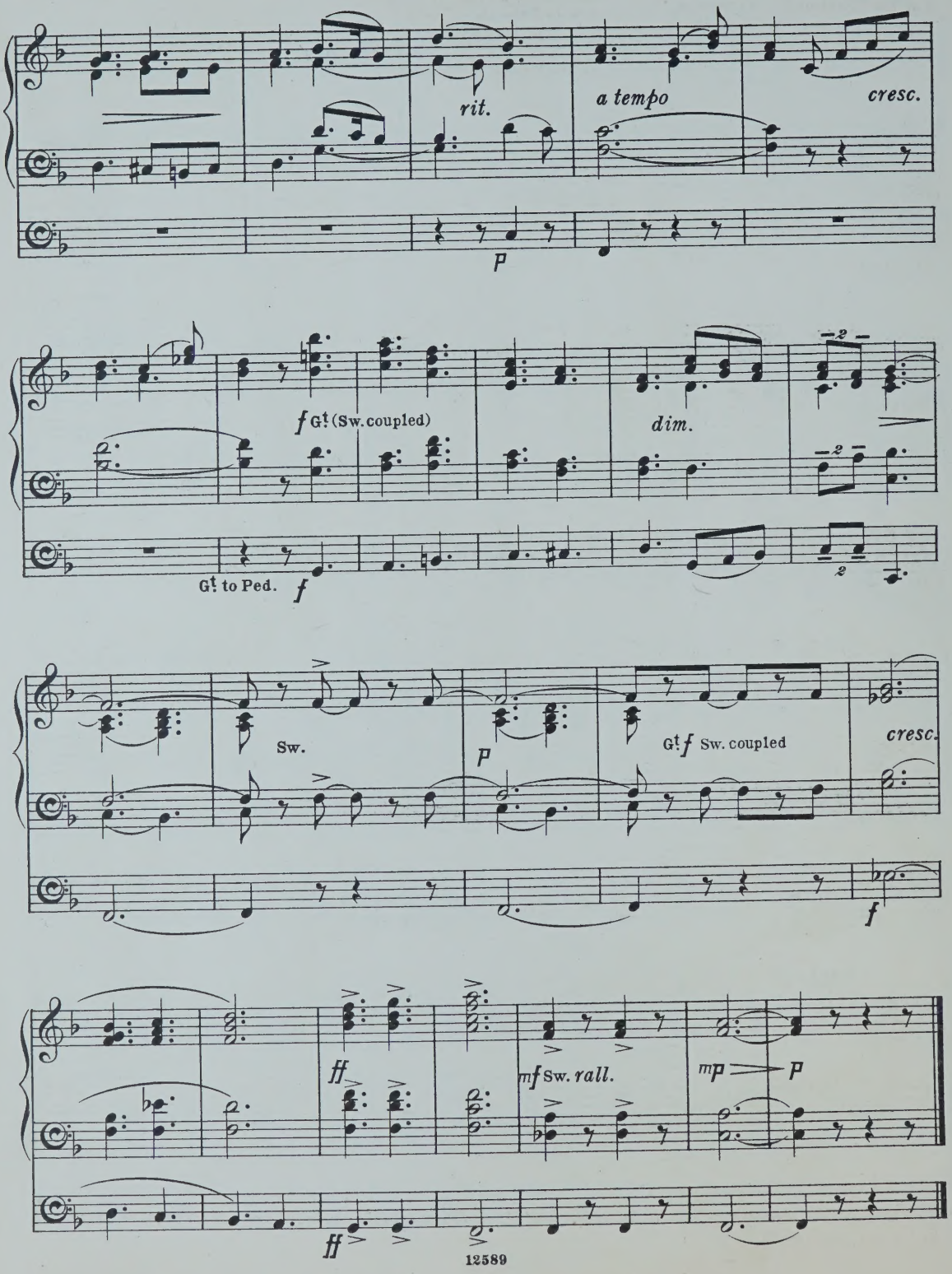
dim. molto
dim. e rall.
dolce
p Sw.
G! to Ped.in
Tempo I?


rit.
a tempo
cresc.
p
f G! (Sw. coupled)
dim.
G! to Ped.
f
Sw.
p
G! f Sw. coupled
cresc.
f
ff
mf Sw. rall.
mp
p
ff

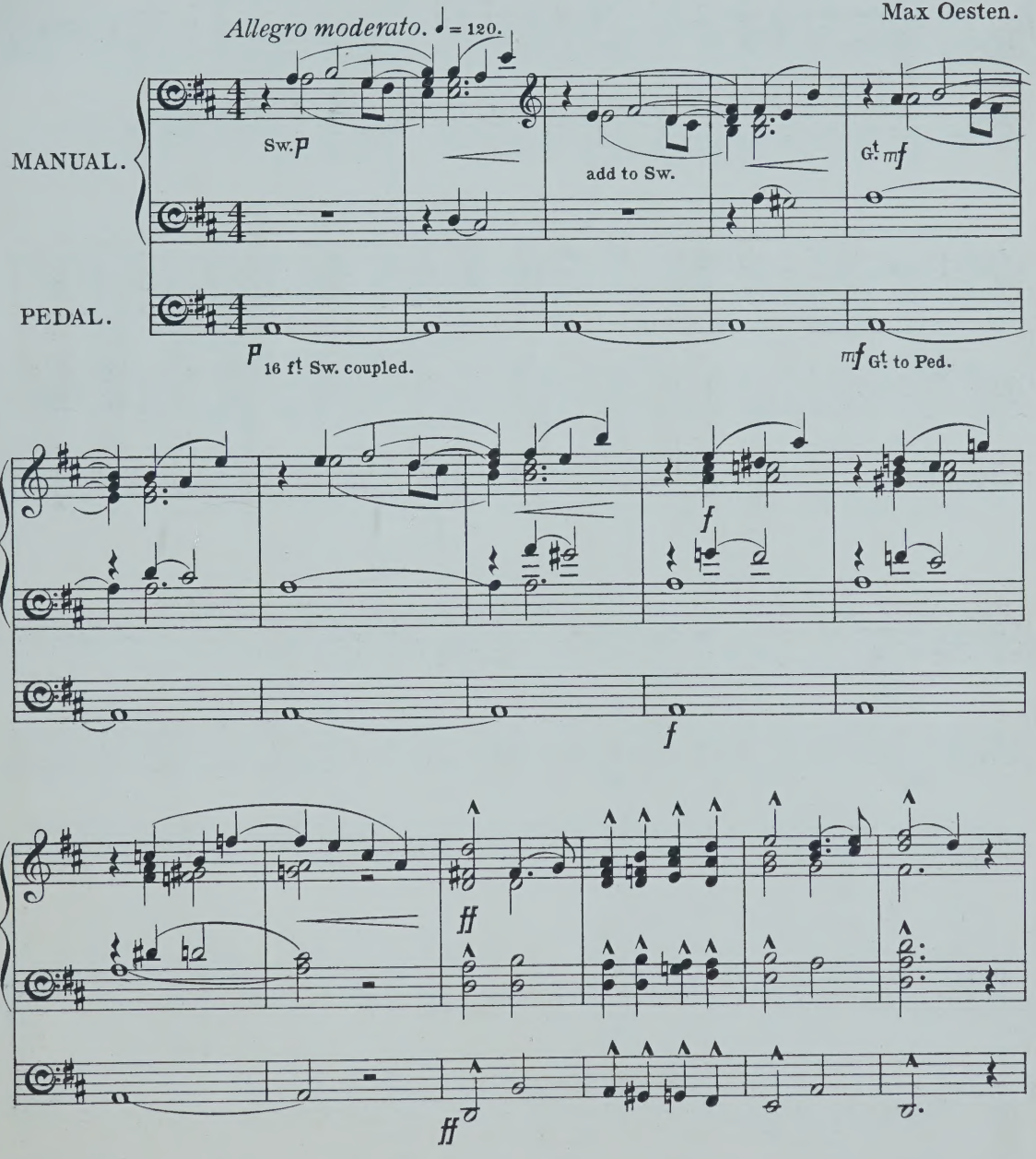
For the Feast of the Ascension.

Ascension-Day.

Op. 205. № 6.

(Concluding Voluntary.)

Max Oesten.



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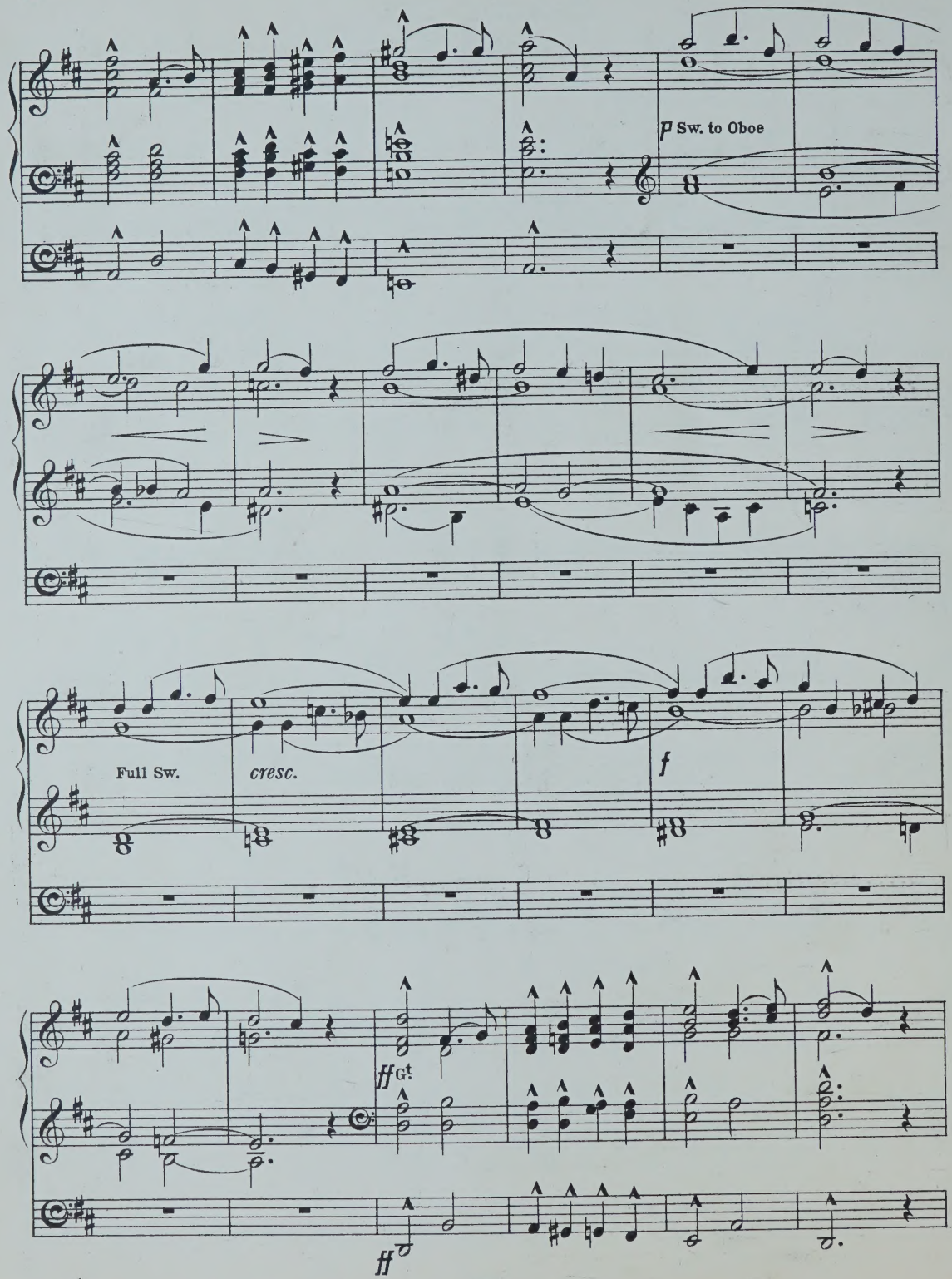
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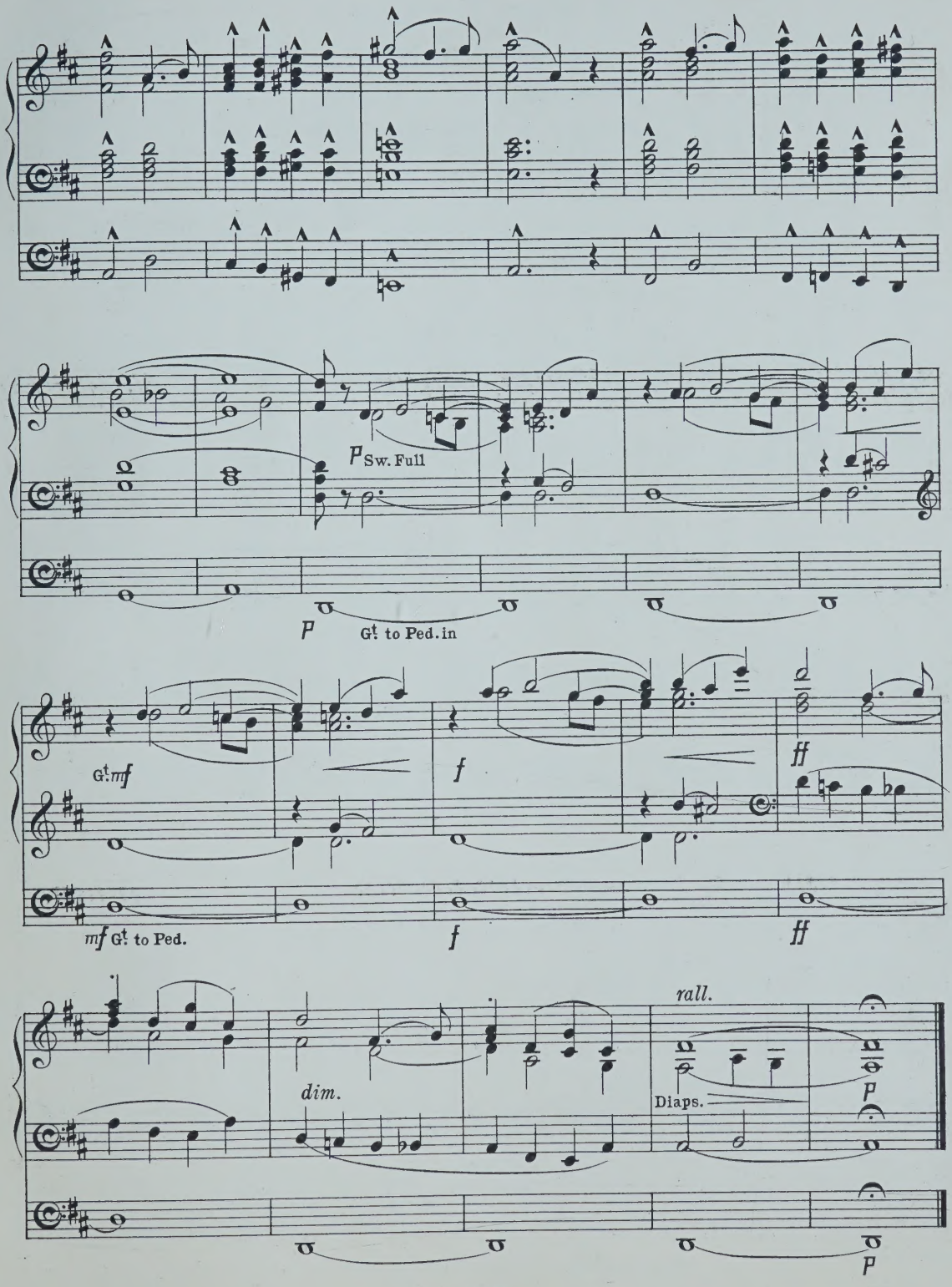
Full Sw.
cresc.
f
ff Gt.
ff


P Sw. Full
P Gt. to Ped. in
Gt. mf
f
ff
mf Gt. to Ped.
f
ff
rall.
dim.
Diaps.
P
P

A Short Fantasia

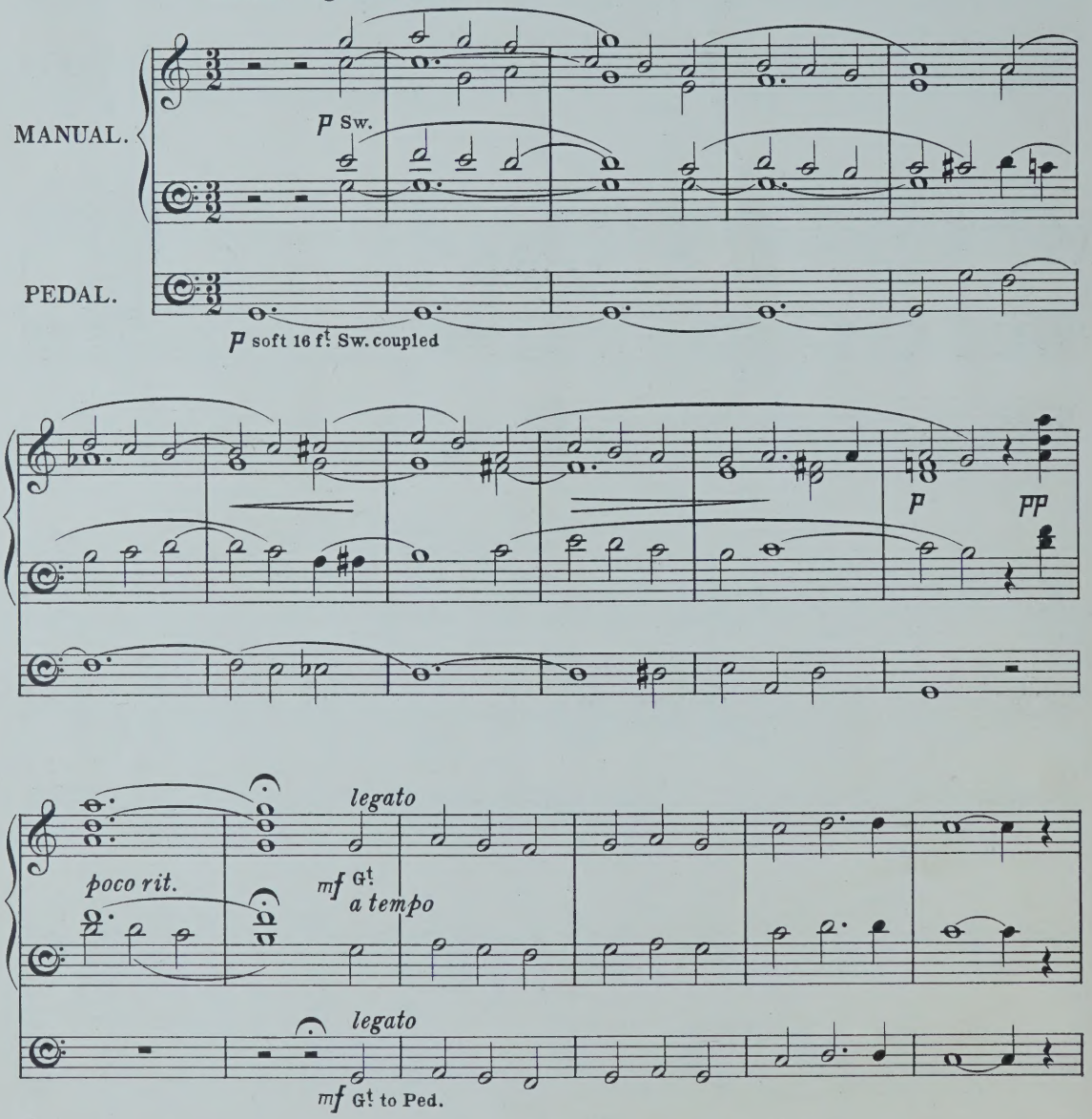
on the Whitsun-tide Hymn

"VENI CREATOR SPIRITUS."

(Introductory or Concluding Voluntary.)

Thomas Adams.

Lento religioso. ♩=66.



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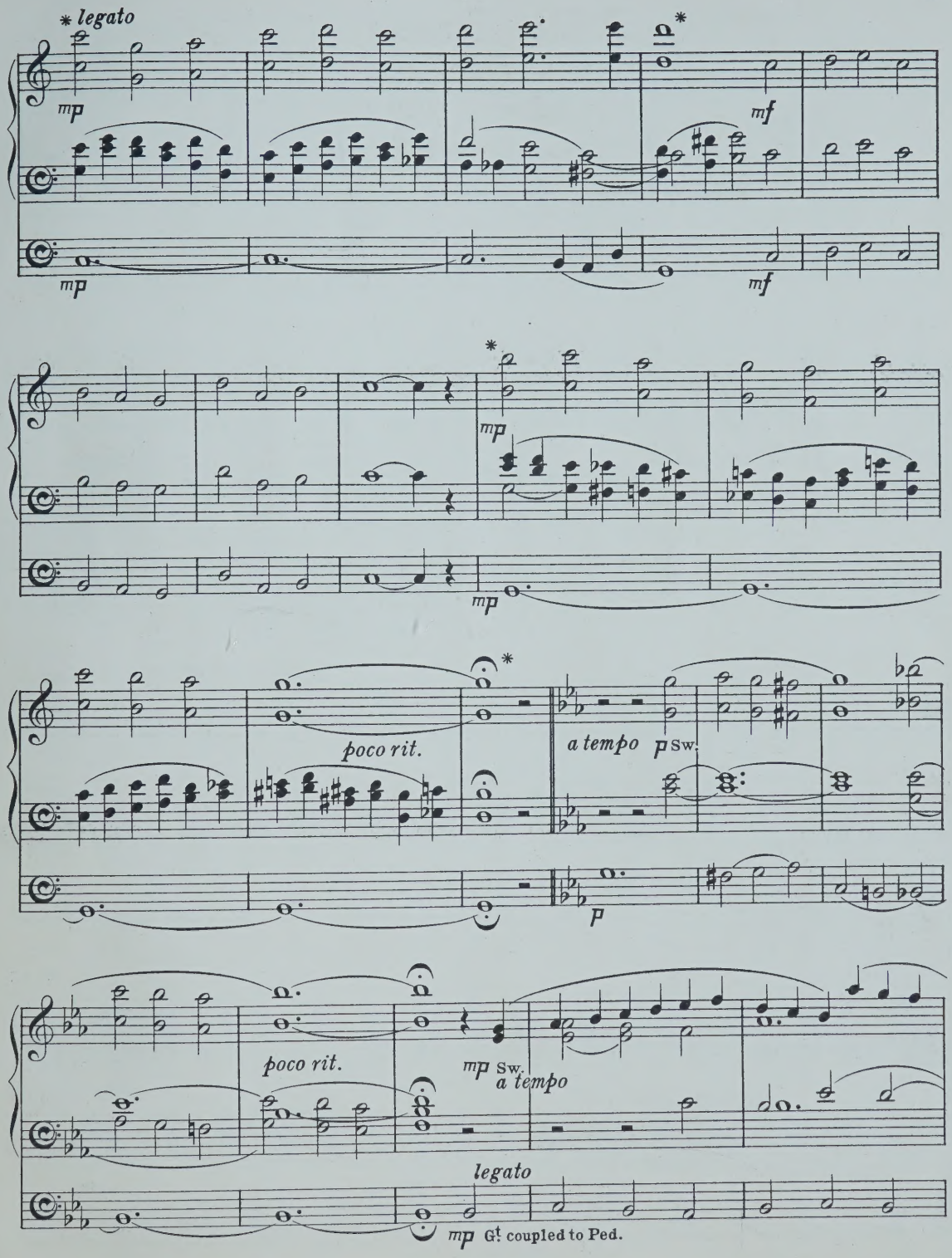

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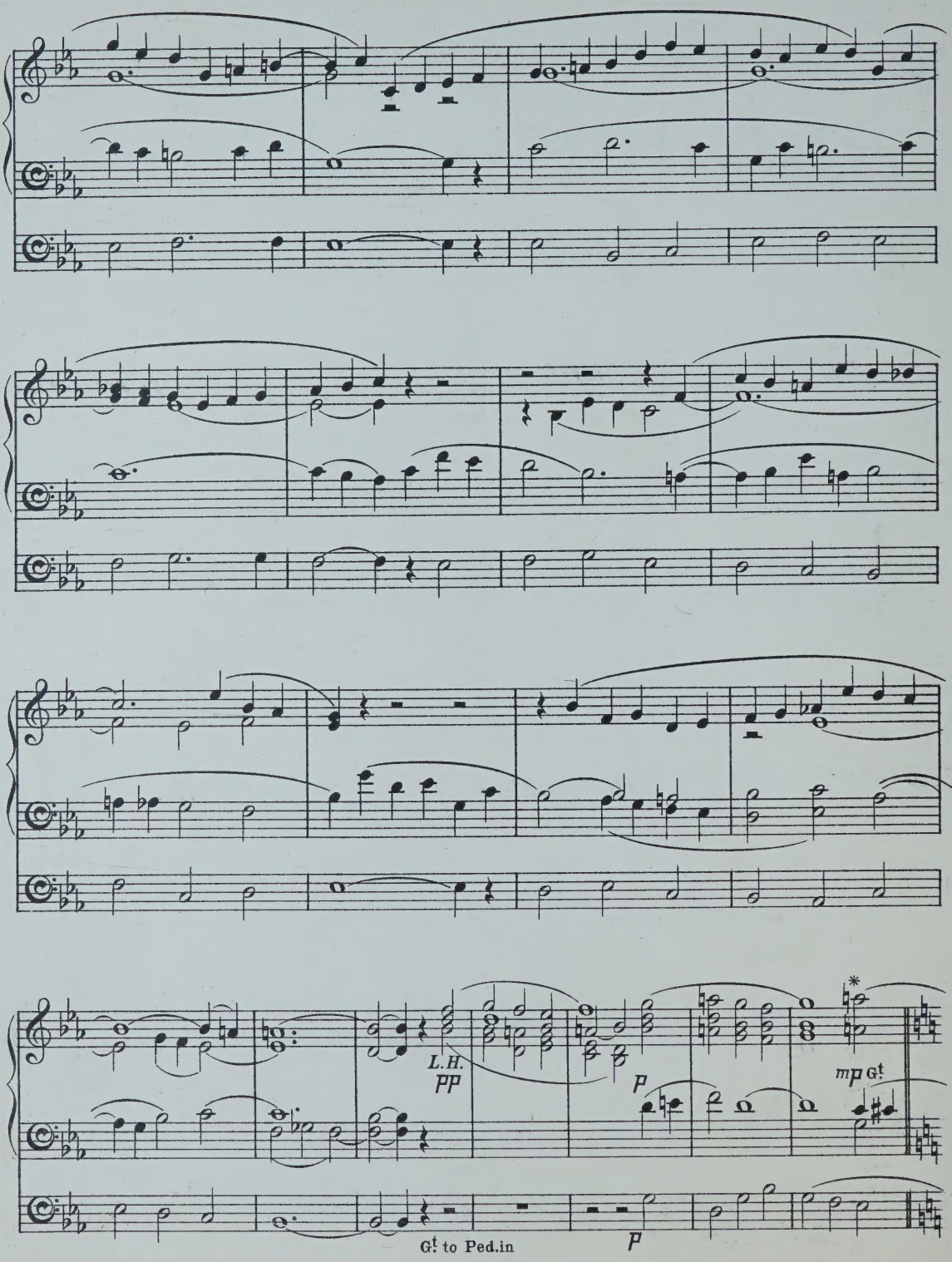
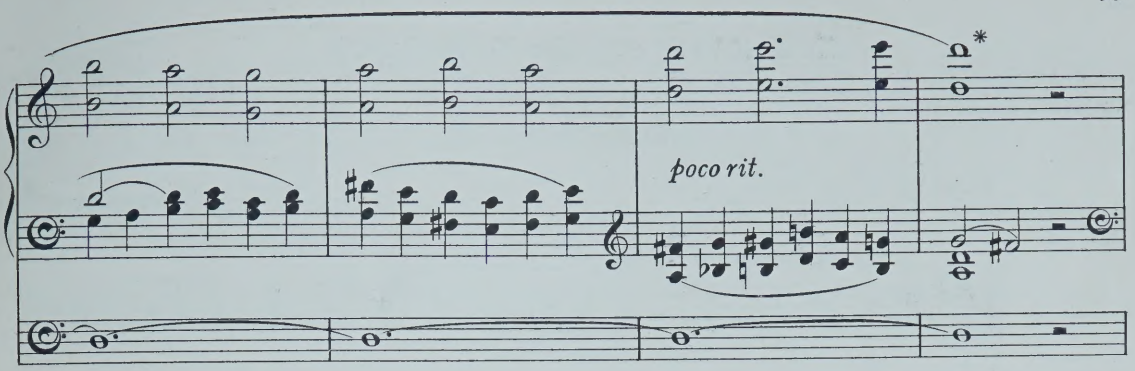

L.H.
pp
p
mp
G!
G! to Ped.in
p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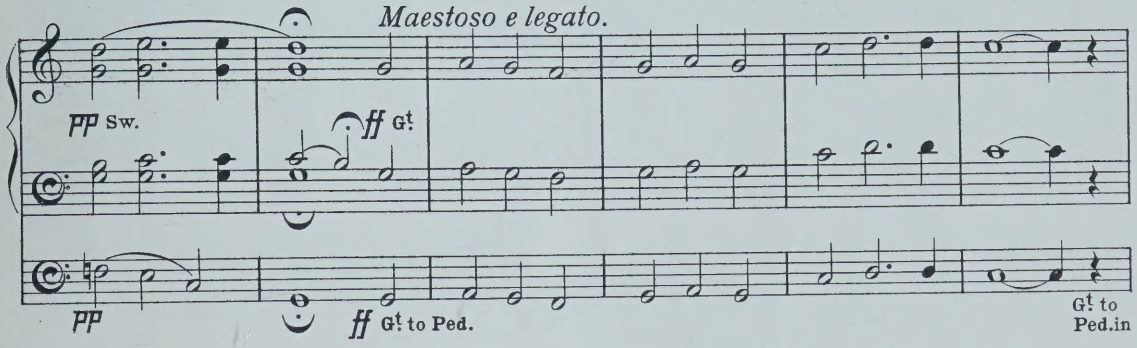
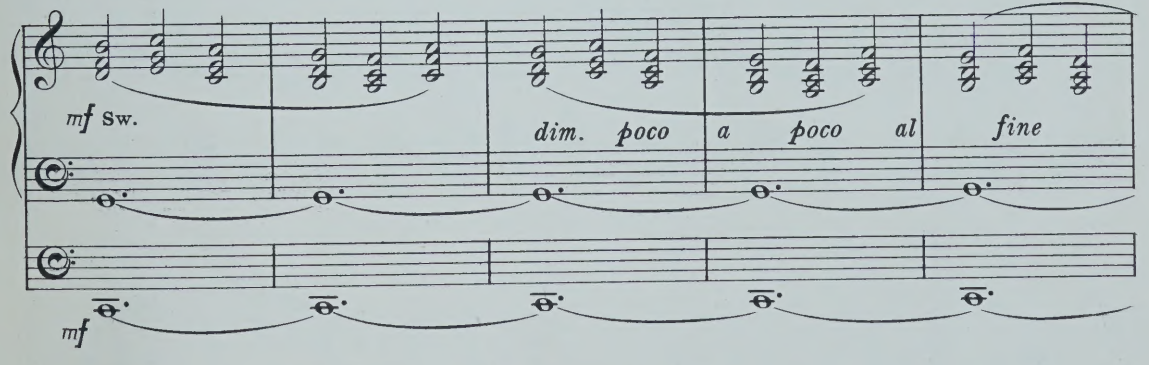
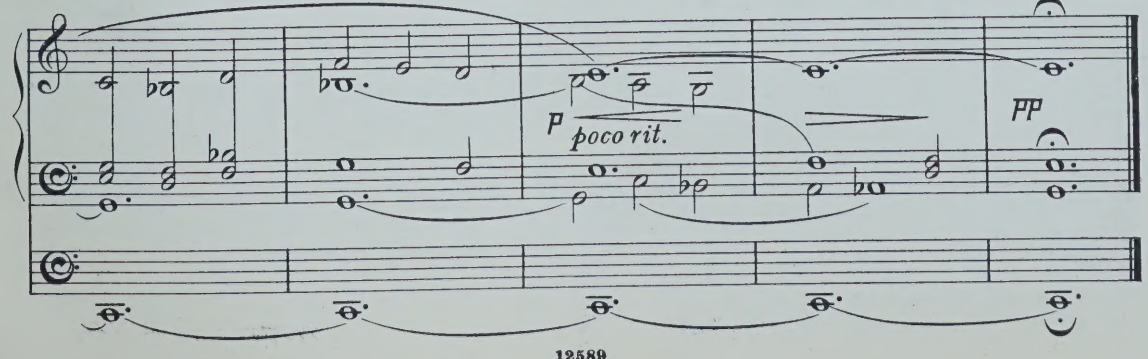

Maestoso e legato.
pp Sw.
ff Gt
pp
ff Gt to Ped.
Gt to Ped.in


mf Sw.
dim. poco a poco al fine
mf


p poco rit.
pp

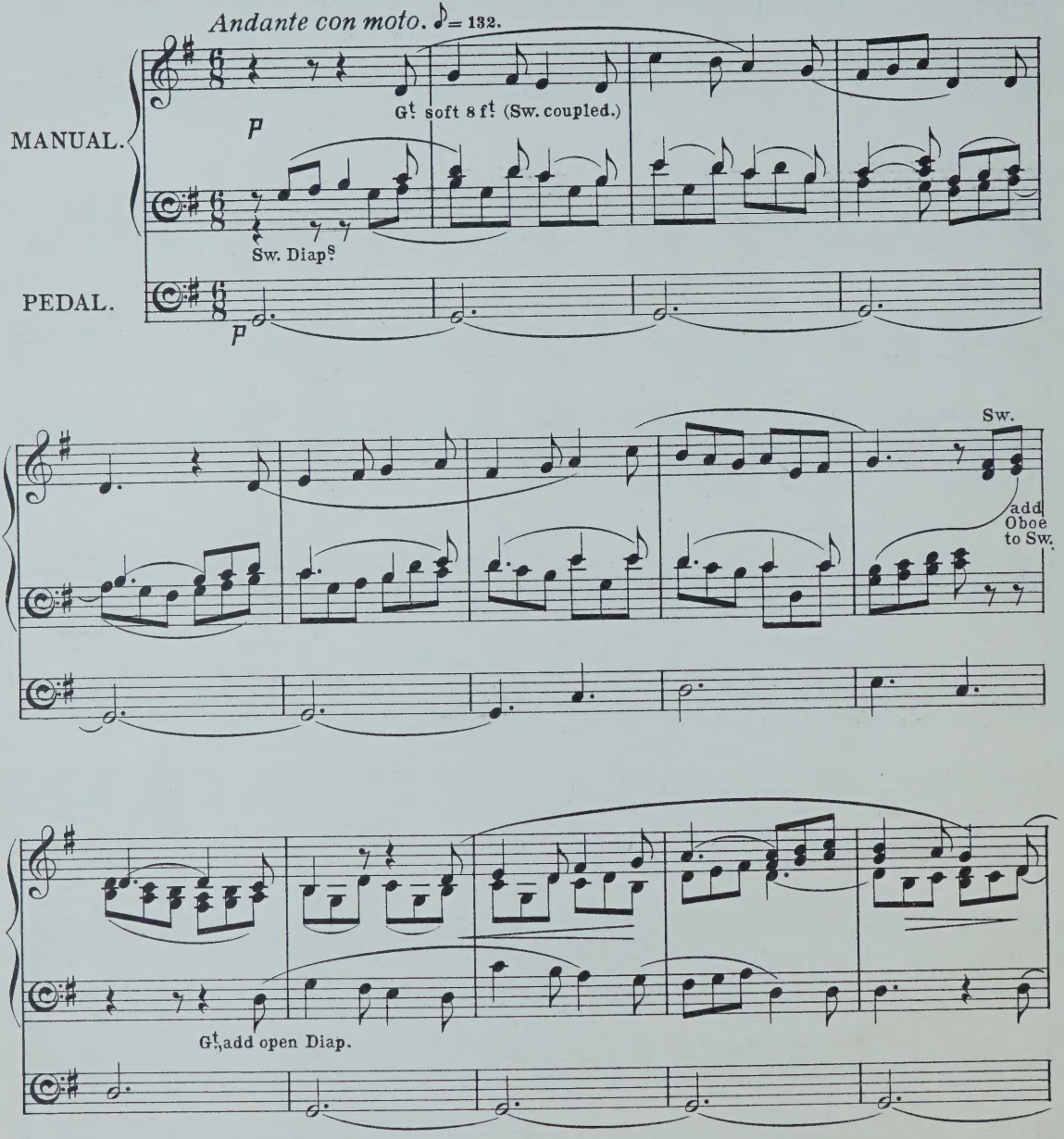
"How lovely are the messengers"

FROM "ST PAUL."

(Concluding Voluntary.)

For the Feasts of Apostles, Martyrs or Evangelists.

Mendelssohn.



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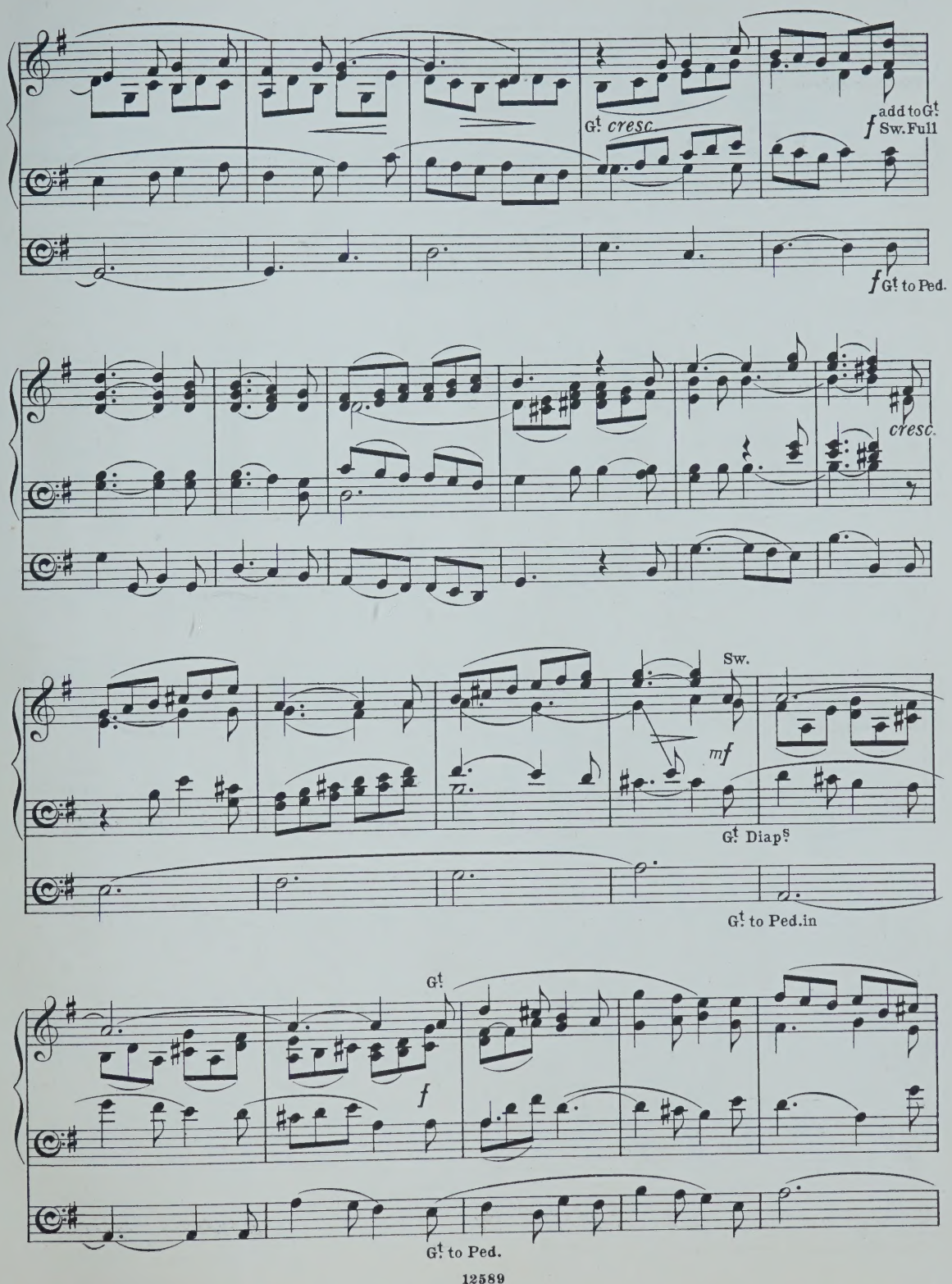
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add to Gt.
f Sw. Full
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Gt. to Ped. in
Gt.
f
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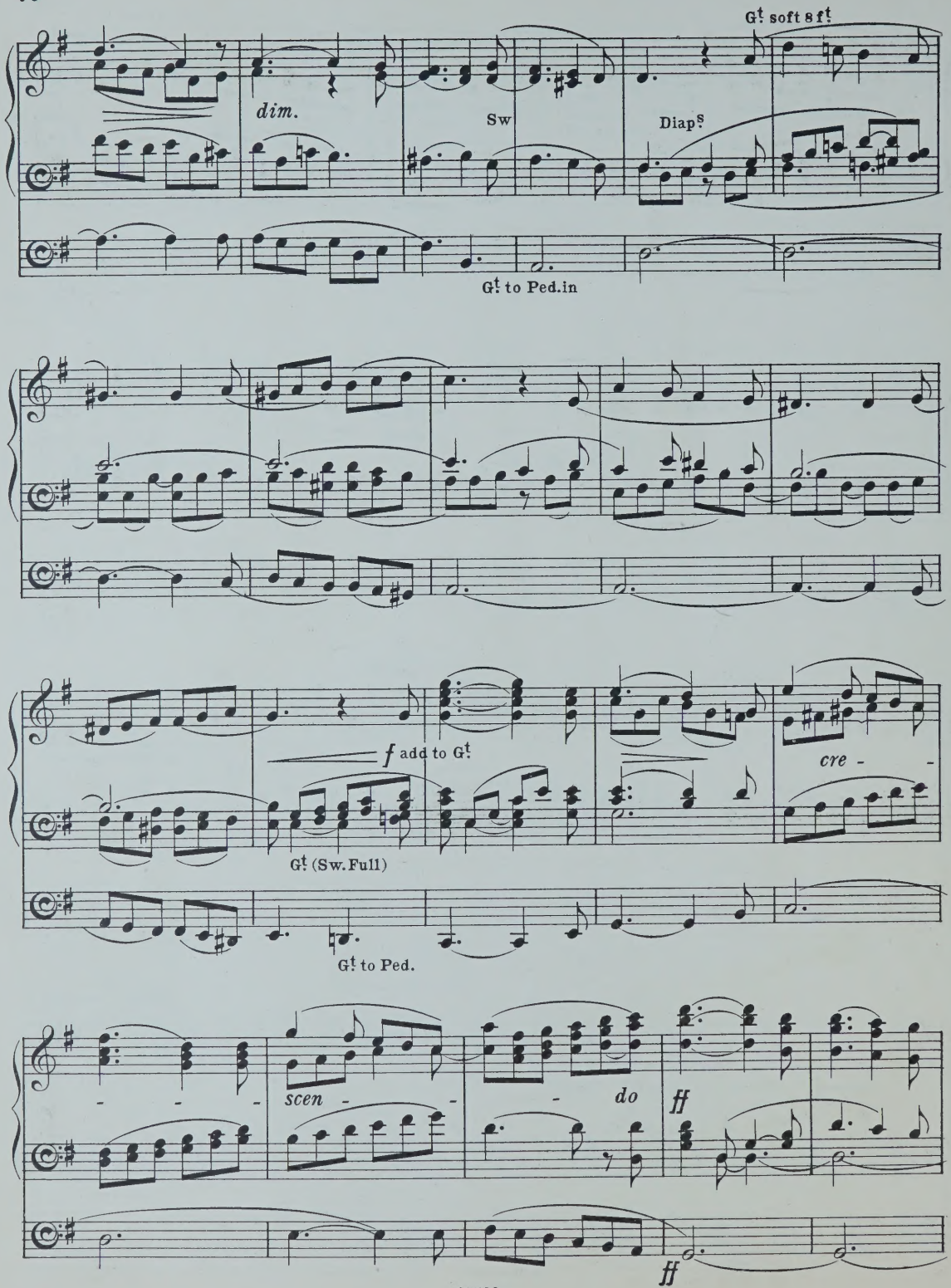
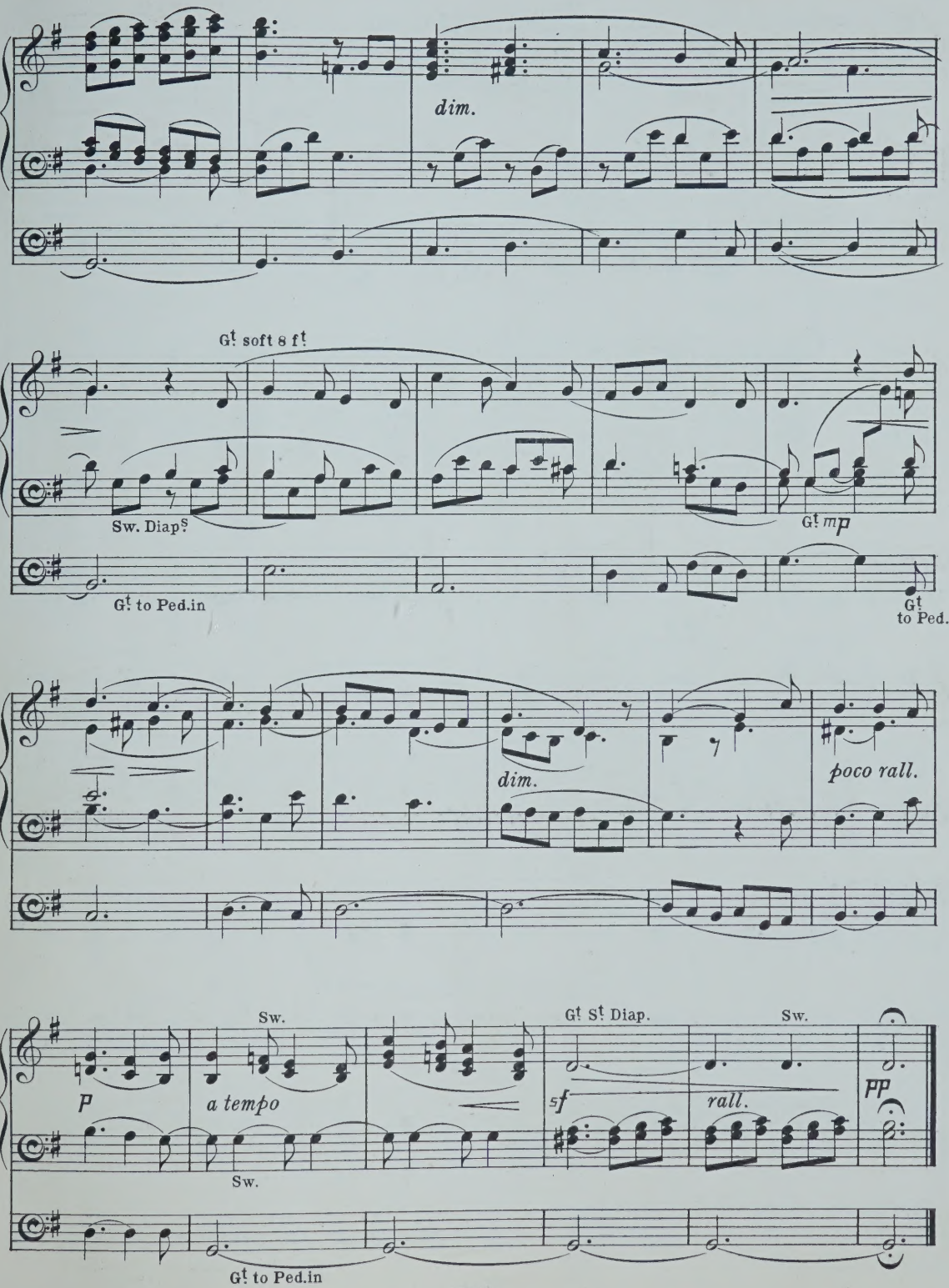

G! soft 8 ft
dim.
Sw
Diap s
G! to Ped. in
f add to G!
G! (Sw. Full)
cre - -
G! to Ped.
- - - -
scen - - - do
ff
ff

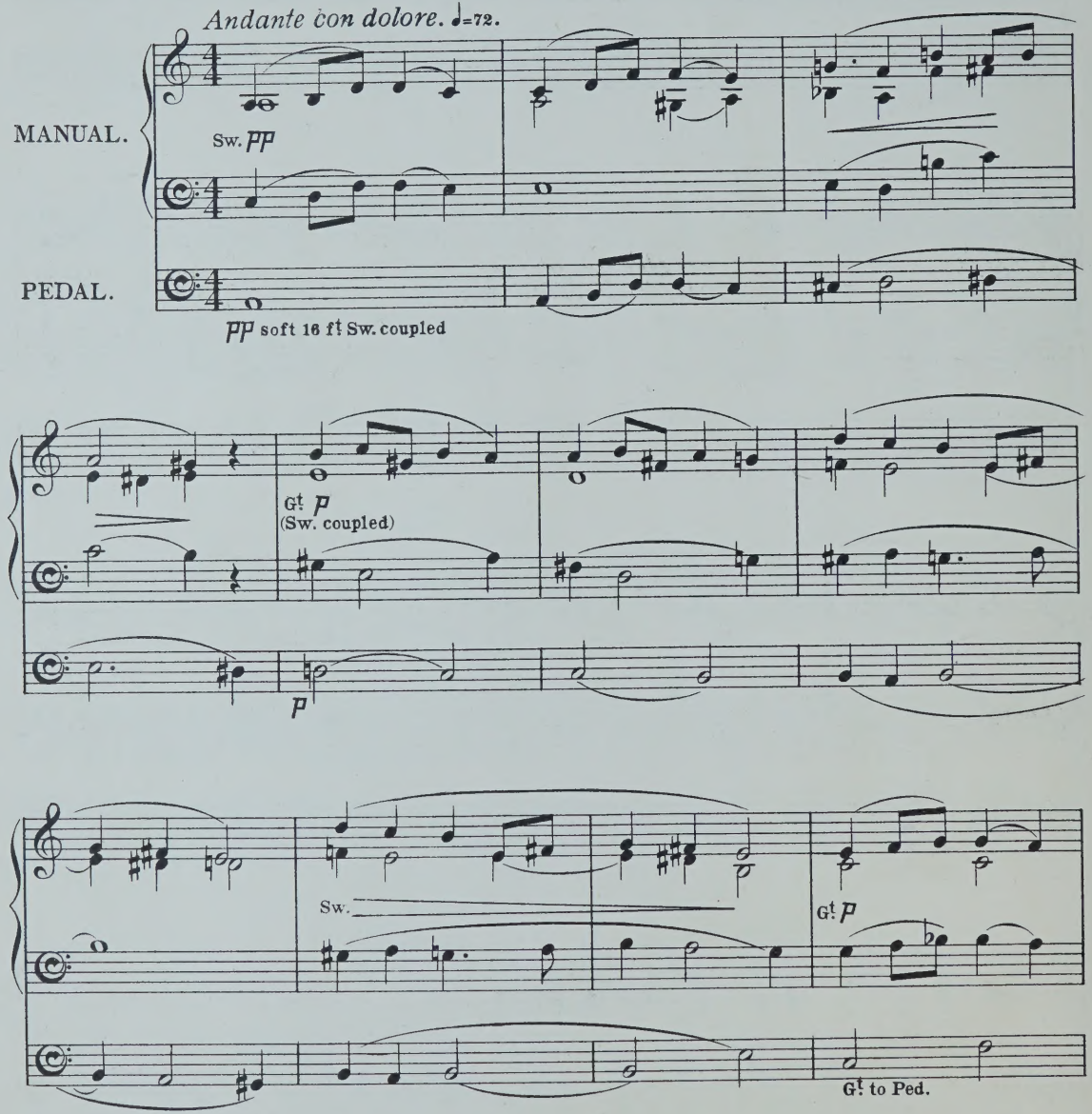

dim.
G! soft 8 f!
Sw. Diap.s
G! mp
G! to Ped.in
G! to Ped.
dim.
poco rall.
Sw.
G! St Diap.
Sw.
p
a tempo
sf
rall.
pp
Sw.
G! to Ped.in

All-Saints'-Day.

Op. 205, N°9.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Max Oesten.



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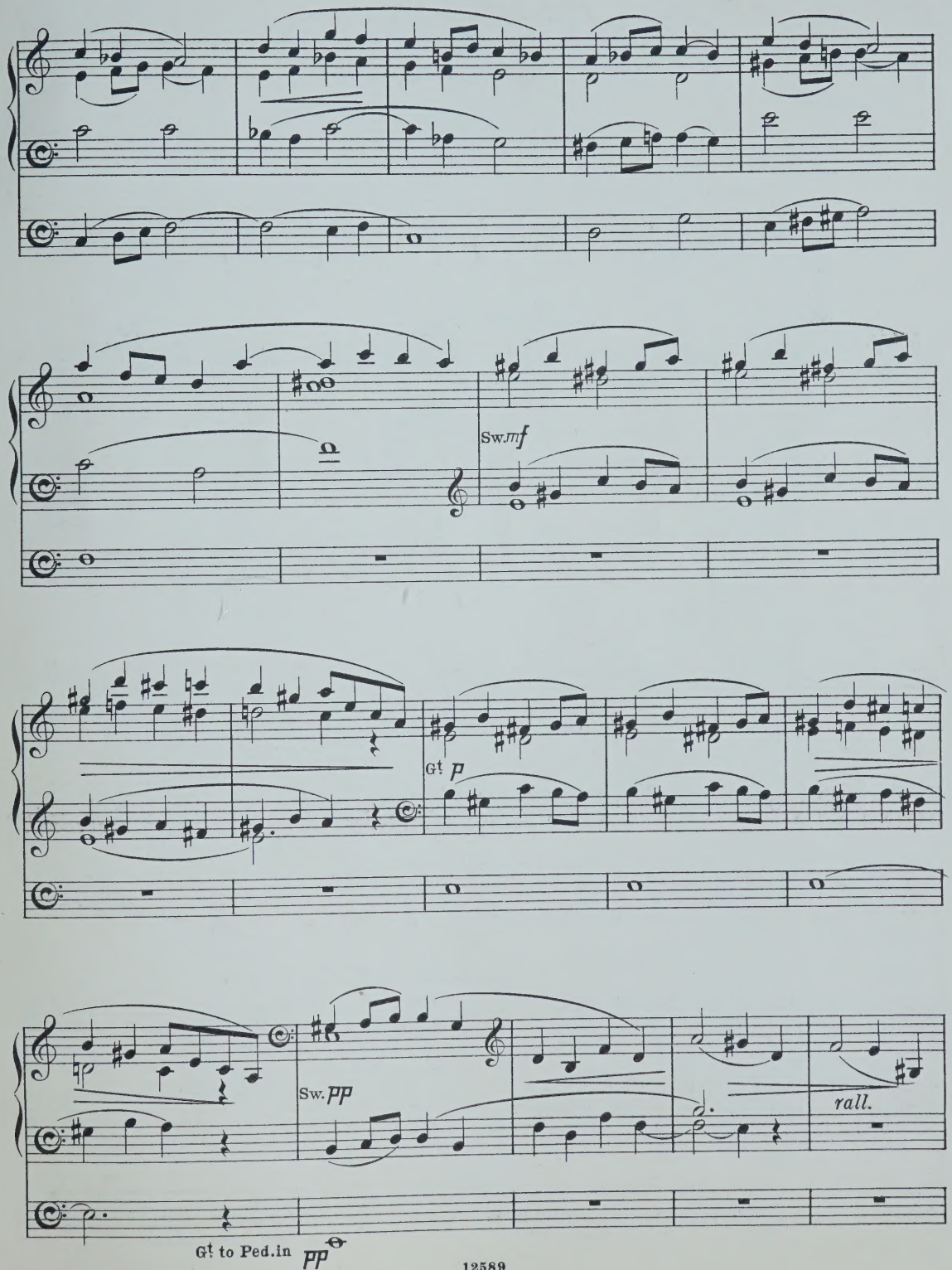
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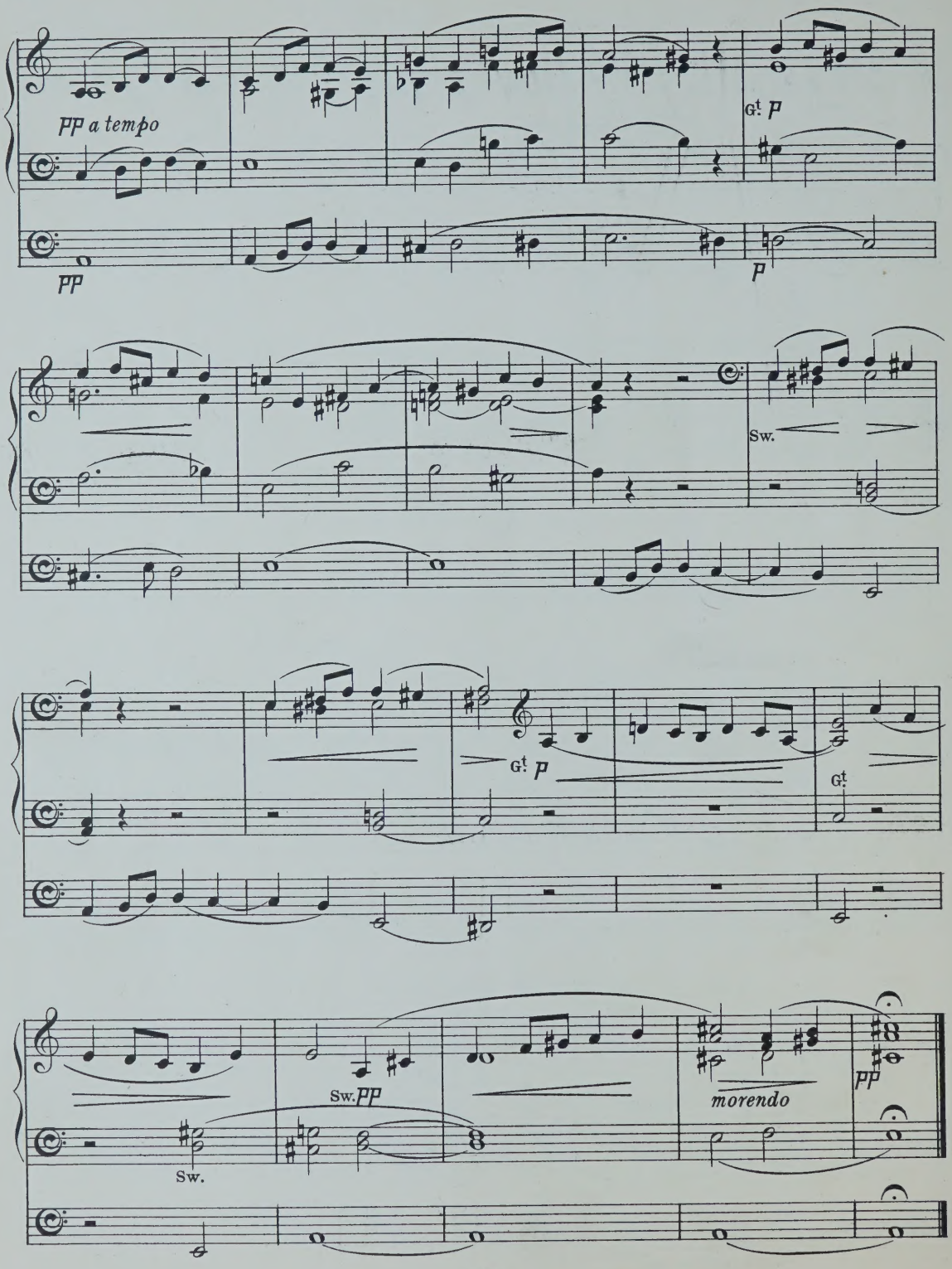
Gt p
Sw. pp
rall.
Gt to Ped. in pp


pp a tempo
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Gt. p
p
Sw.
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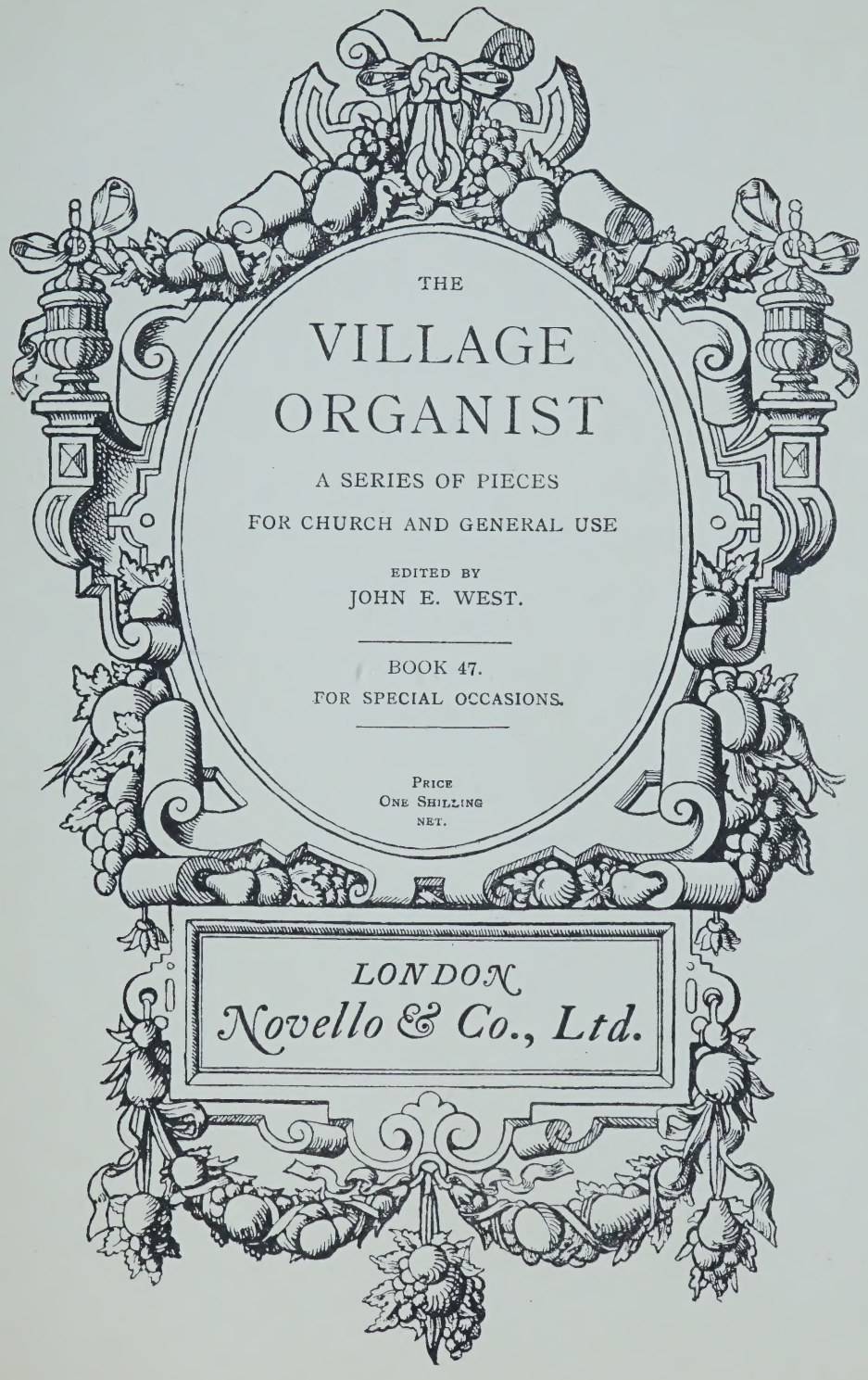
Gt.
Sw. pp
Sw.
morendo
pp



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Fantasia

on the old Melody
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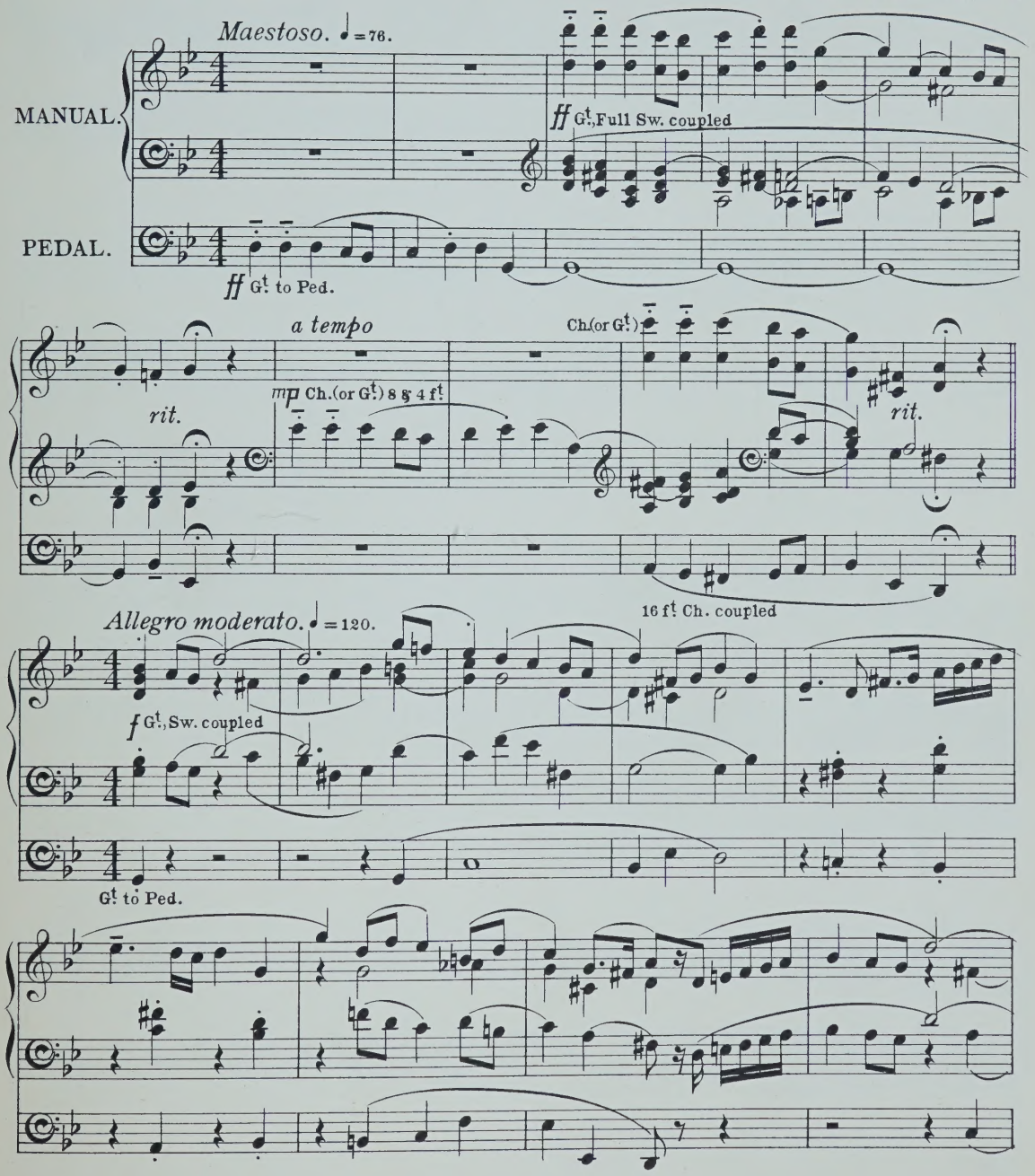
(Concluding Voluntary.)

William Faulkes. (Op. 112.)



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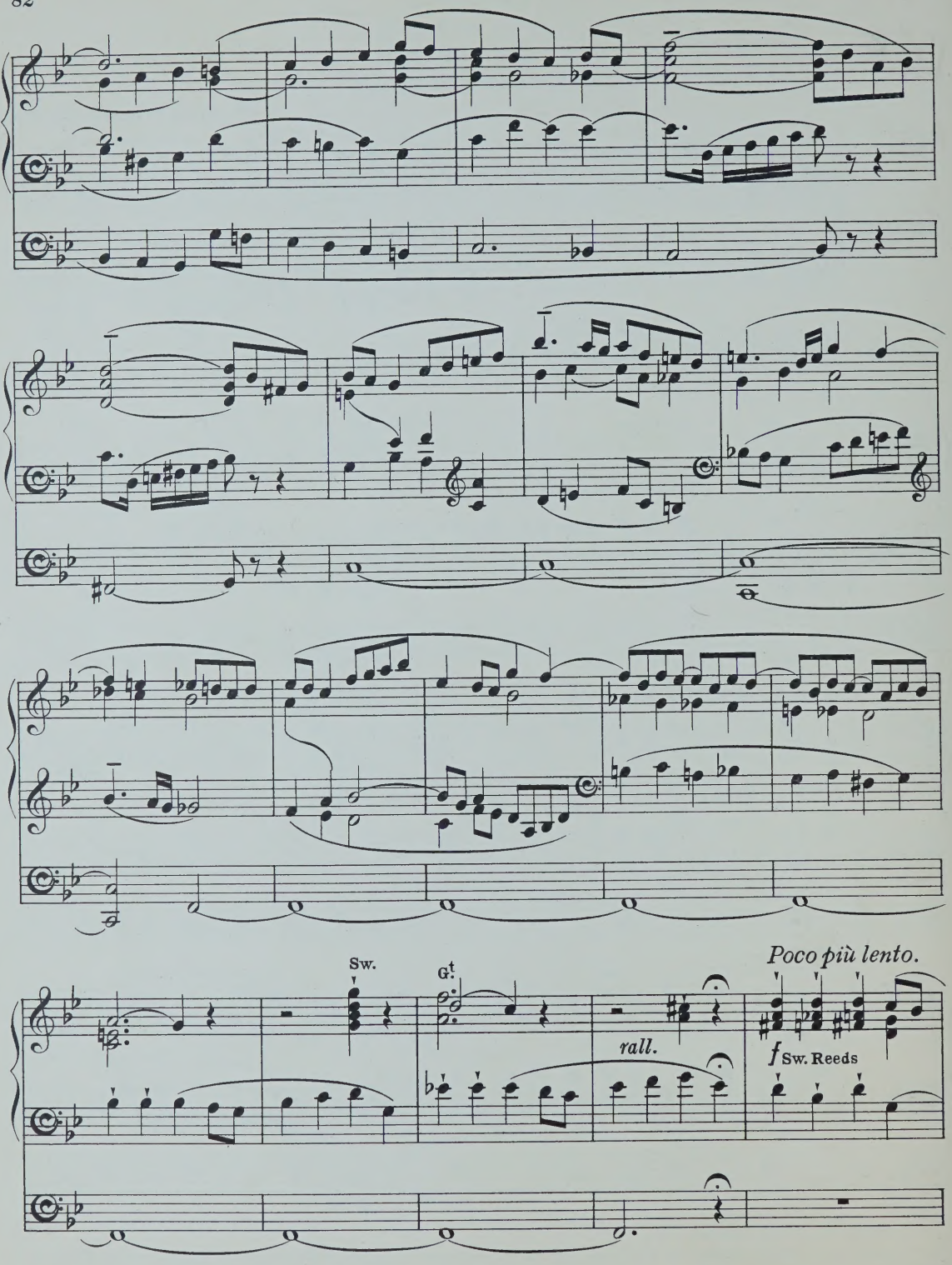
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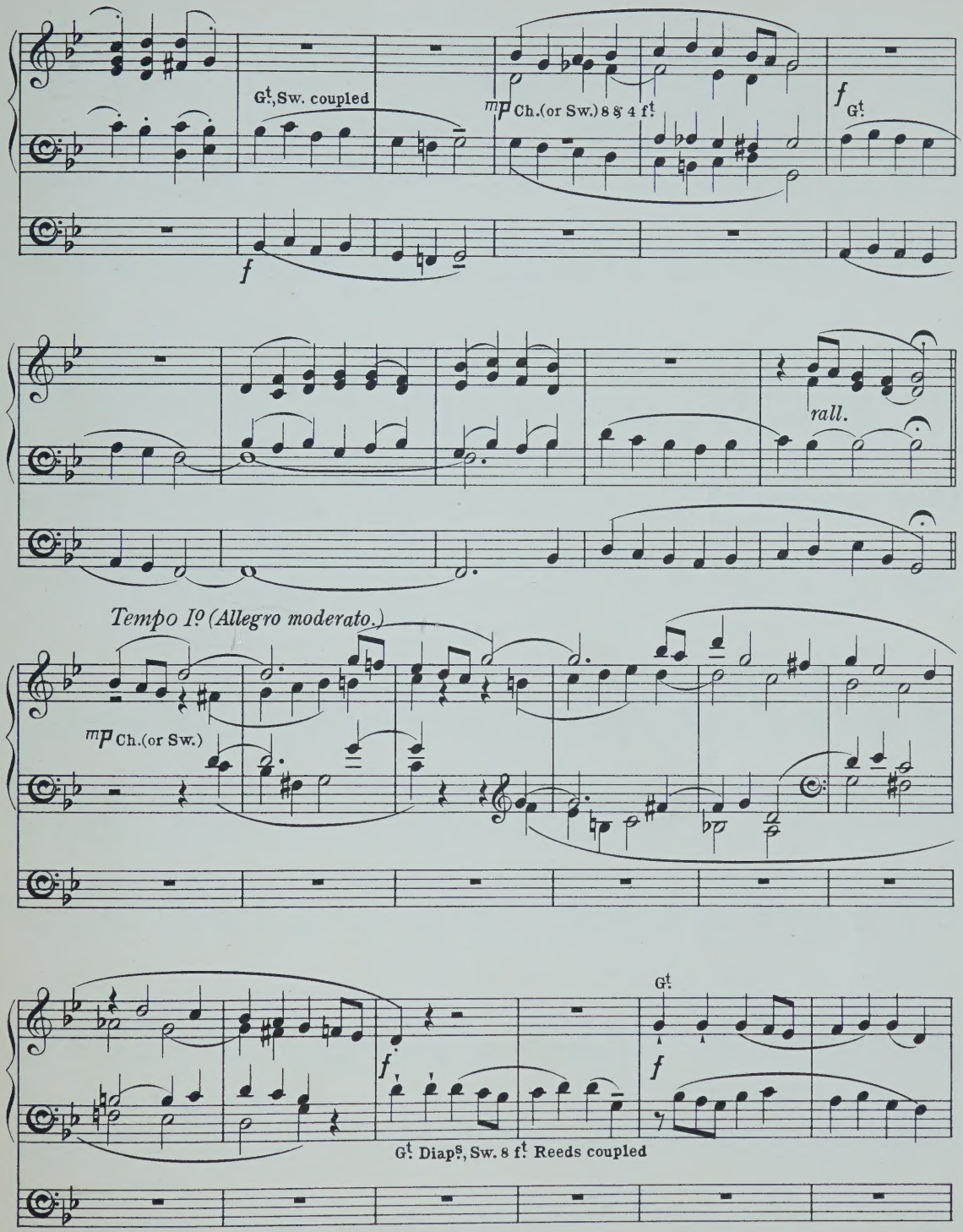
Gt.
rall.
Poco più lento.
f Sw. Reeds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mp Ch.(or Sw.) 8 & 4 ft
f Gt
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rall.
Tempo Io (Allegro moderato.)
mp Ch.(or Sw.)
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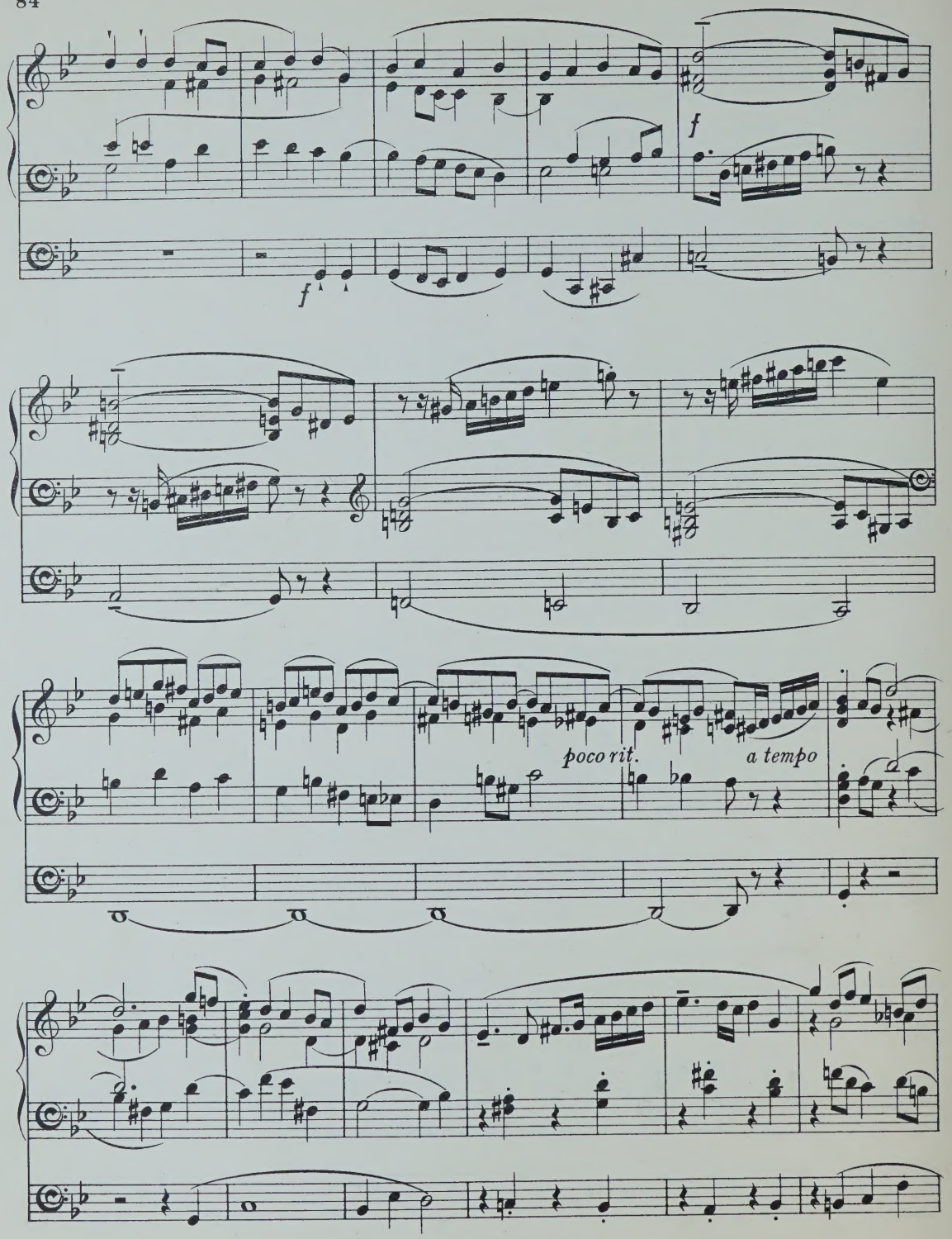
f
f
Gt Diaps, Sw. 8 ft Reeds coupled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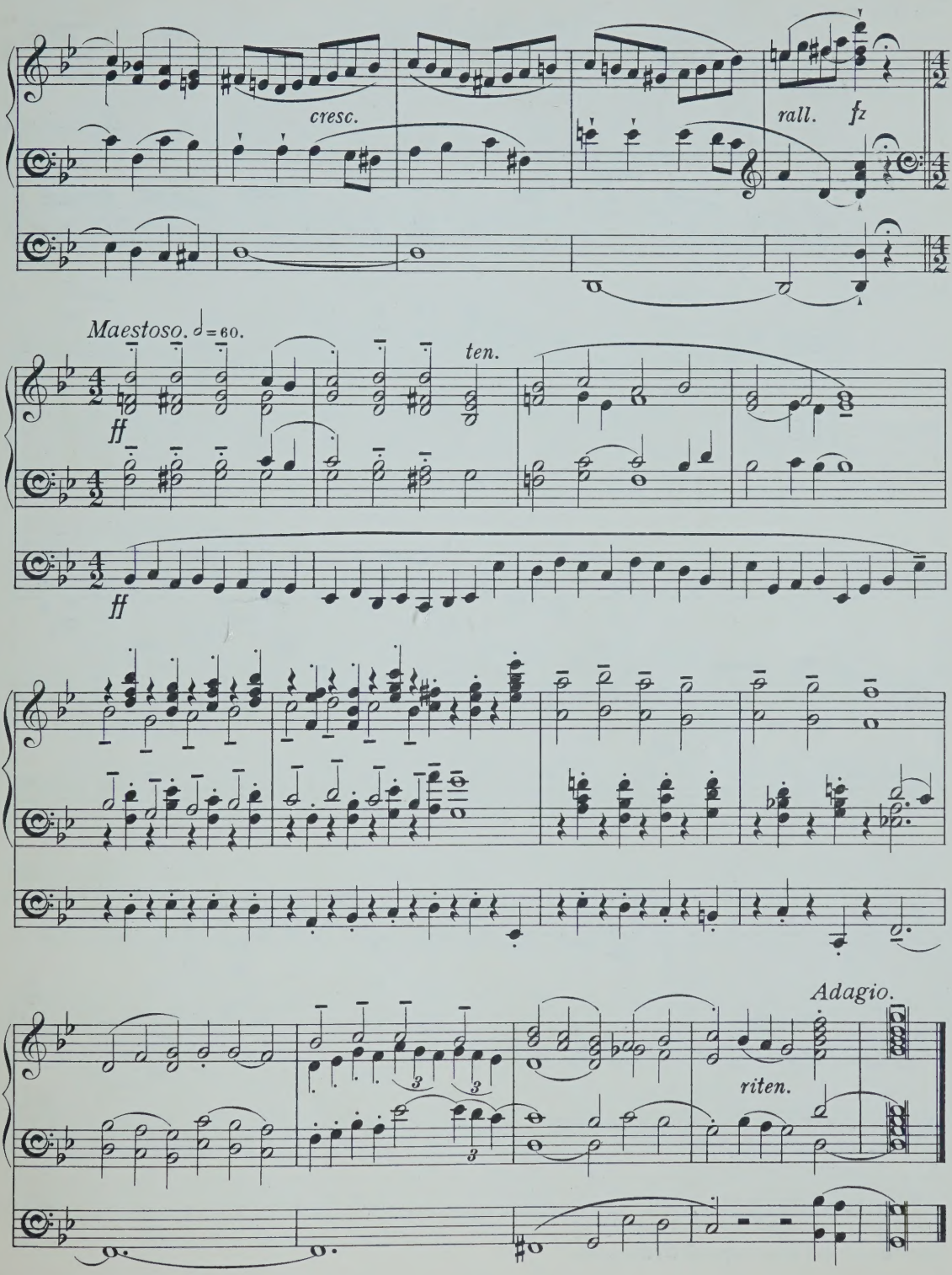
f
poco rit.
a tempo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ten.
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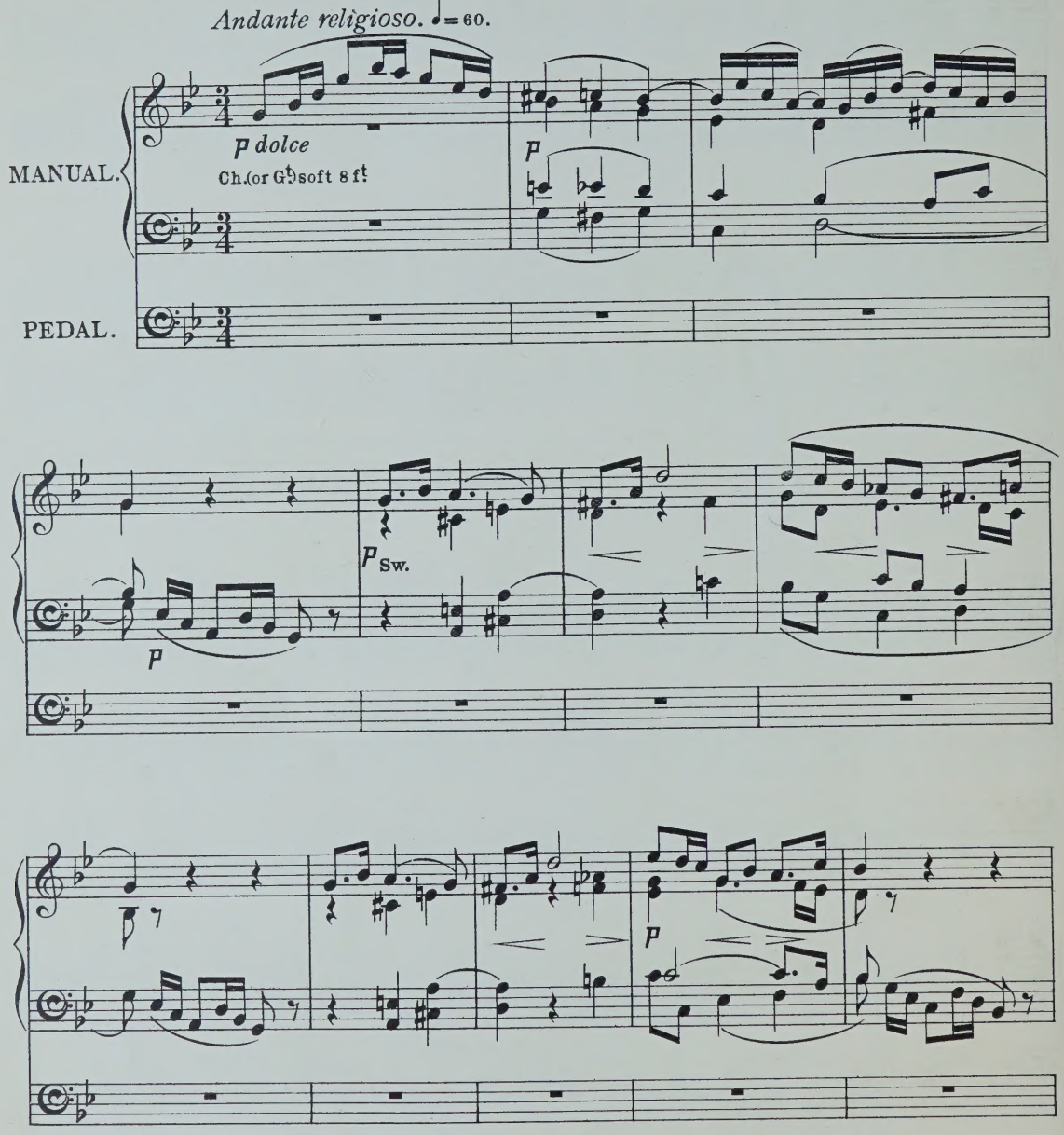
Adagio.
riten.

Baptismal Song.

Meyerbeer.



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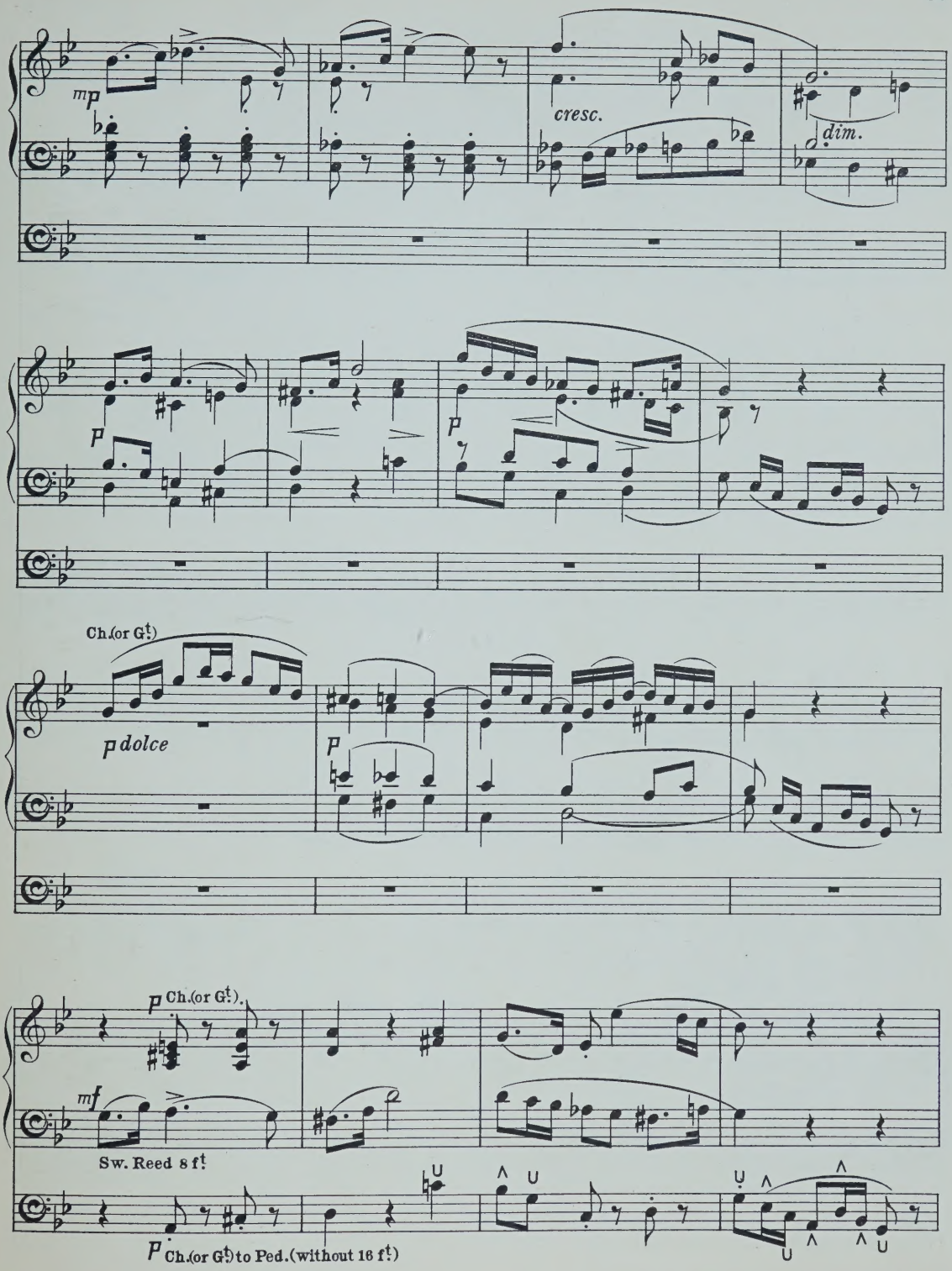
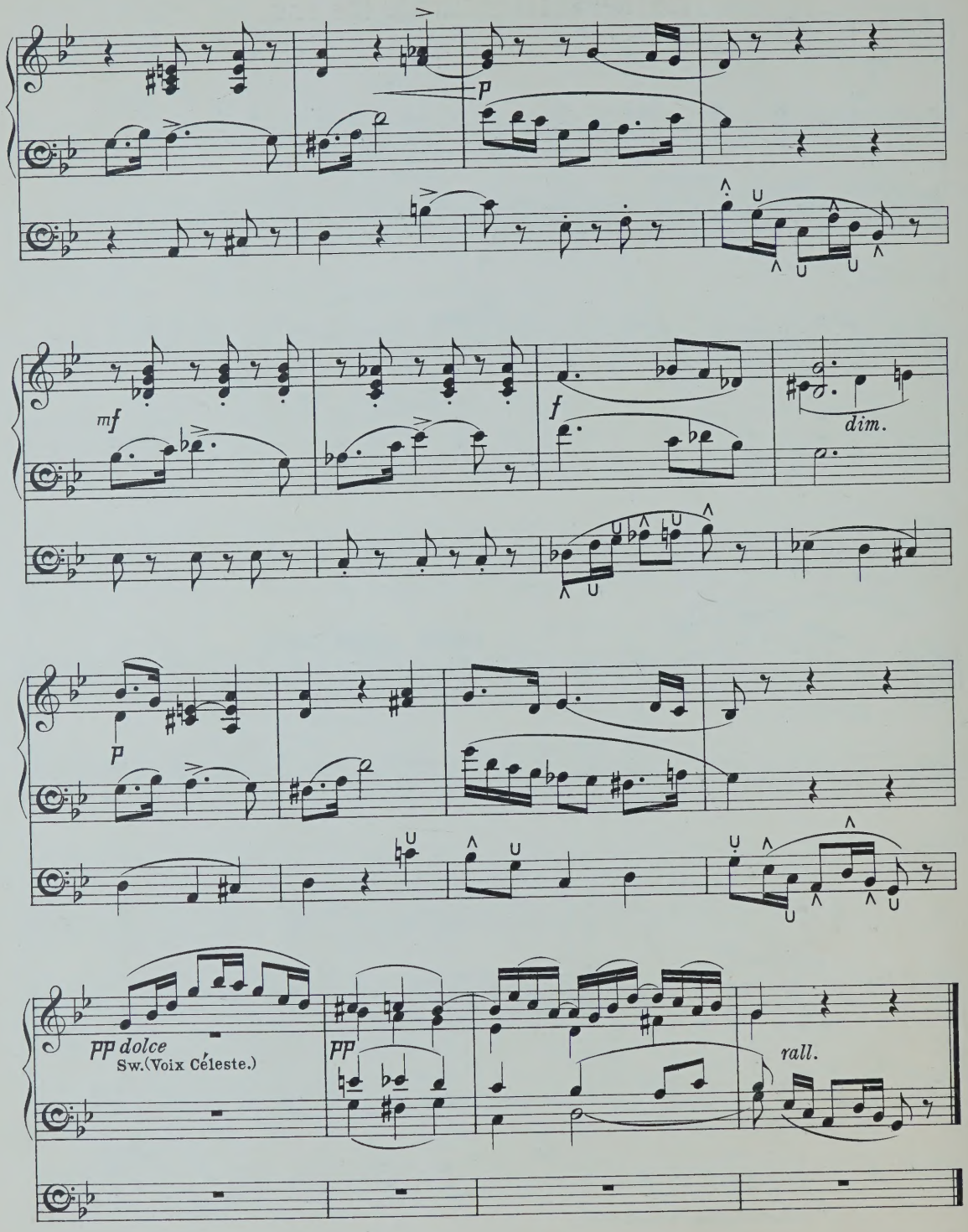

mp
cresc.
dim.
p
p
Ch.(or G.)
p dolce
p
p Ch.(or G.)
mf
Sw. Reed 8 f.
p Ch.(or G.) to Ped.(without 16 f.)

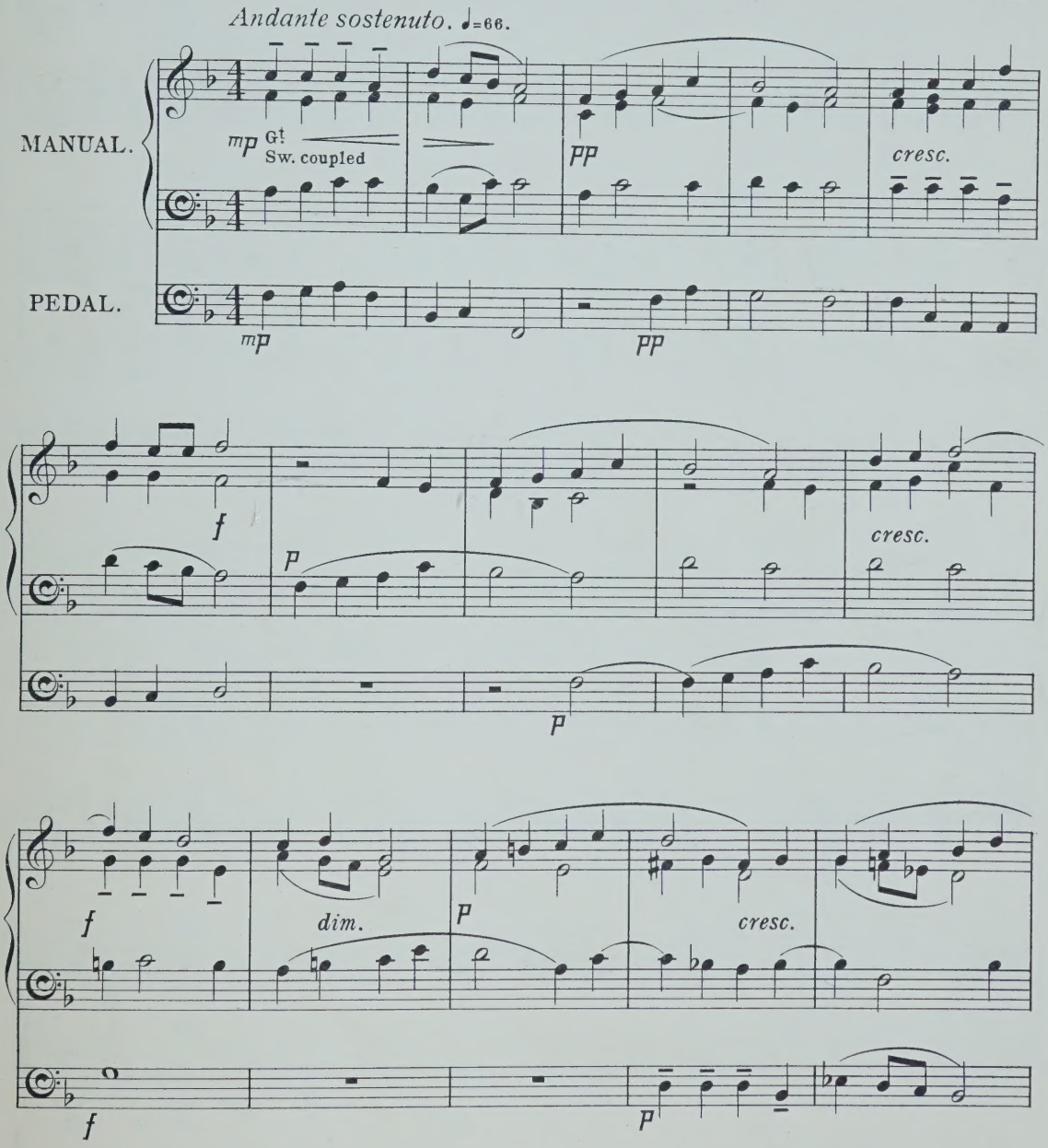

p
mf
f
dim.
p
pp dolce
Sw.(Voix Céleste.)
pp
rall.

"He that shall endure to the end."

FROM "ELIJAH."

(Concluding Voluntary.)

Mendelssohn.



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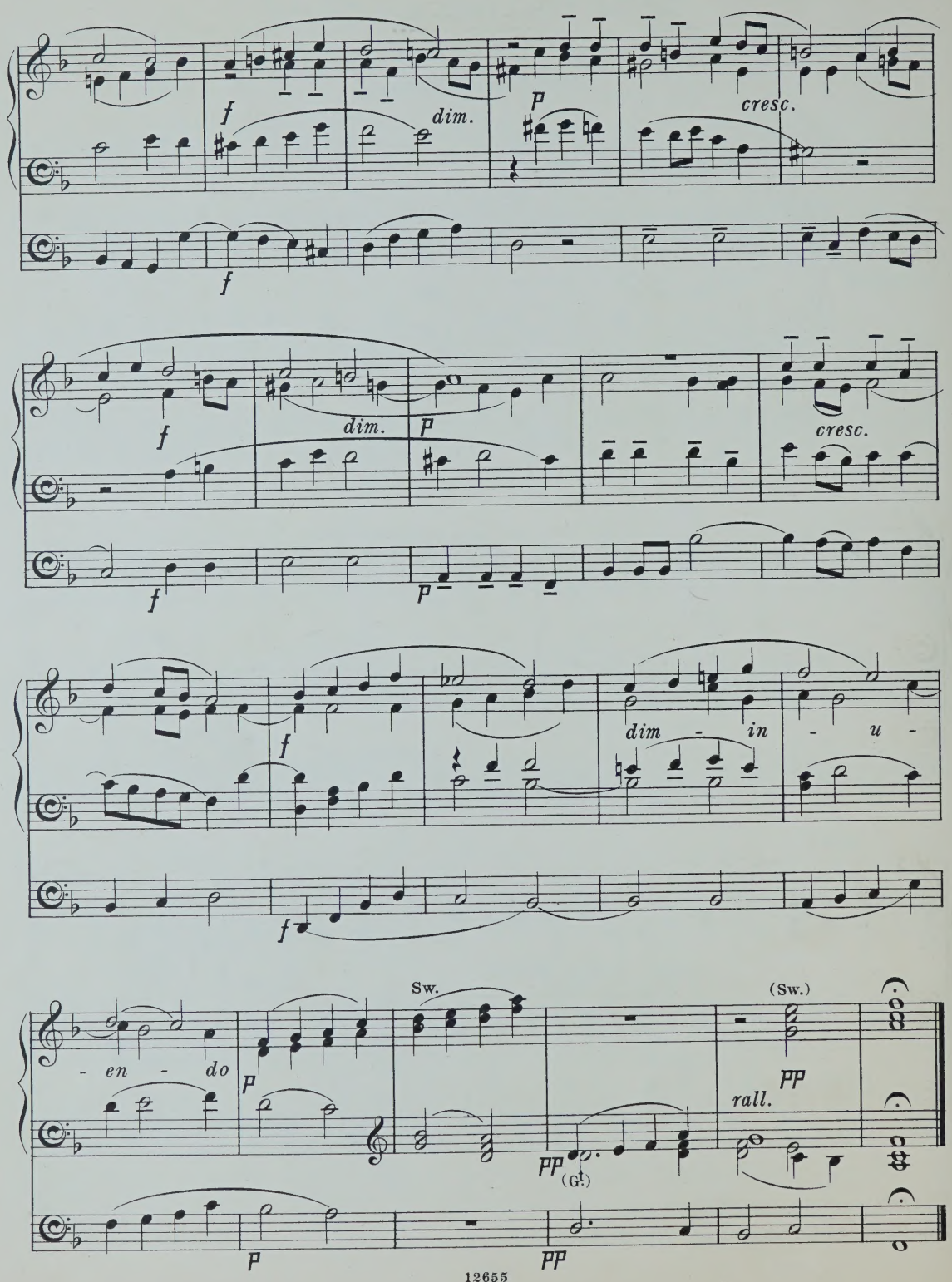
f
dim.
p
cresc.
f
f
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cresc.
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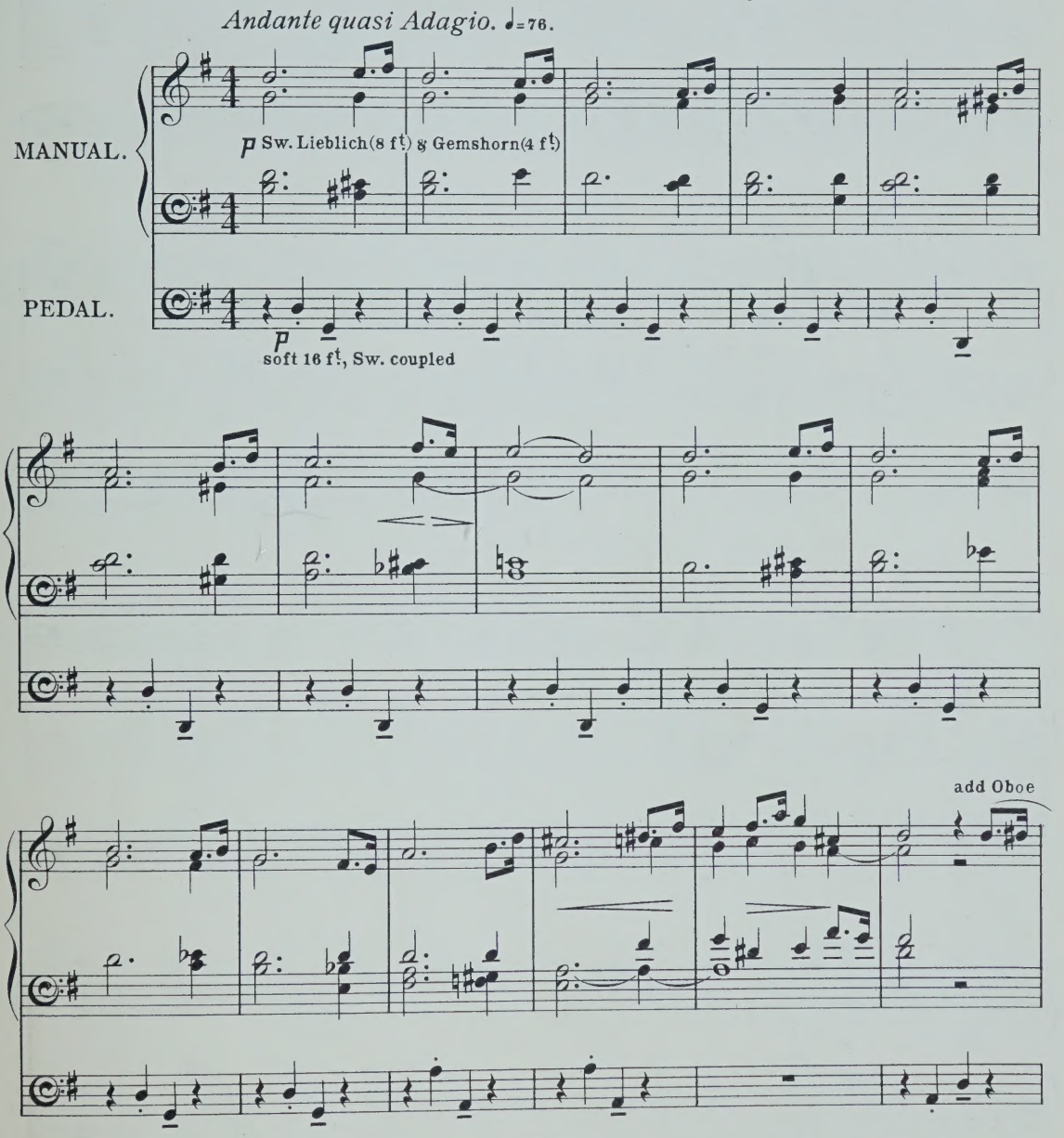
f
dim - in - u -
f
- en - do
p
Sw.
pp
(G!)
(Sw.)
rall.
pp
p
pp

Communion.

J. Baptiste Calkin. (Op. 102.)



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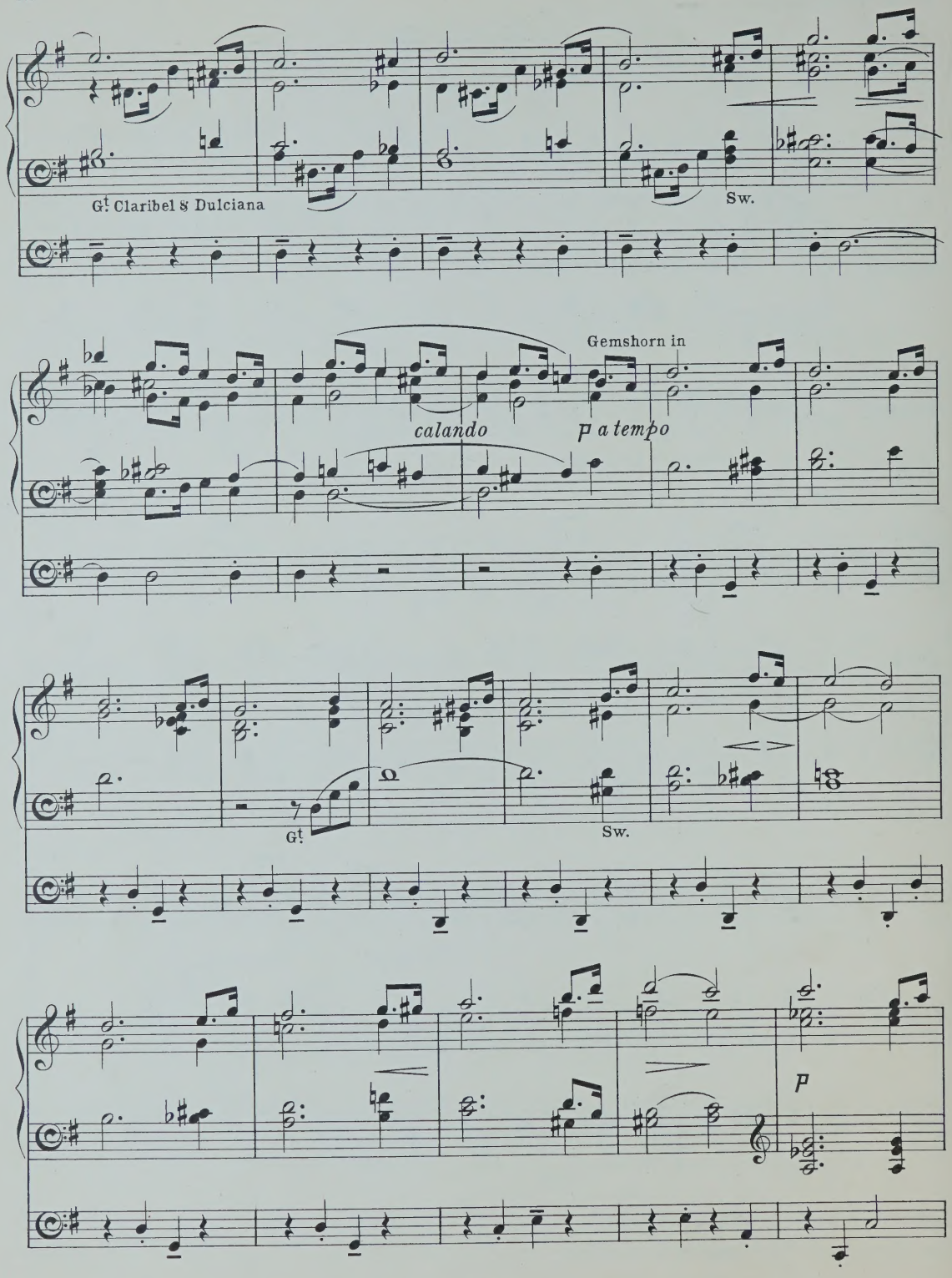
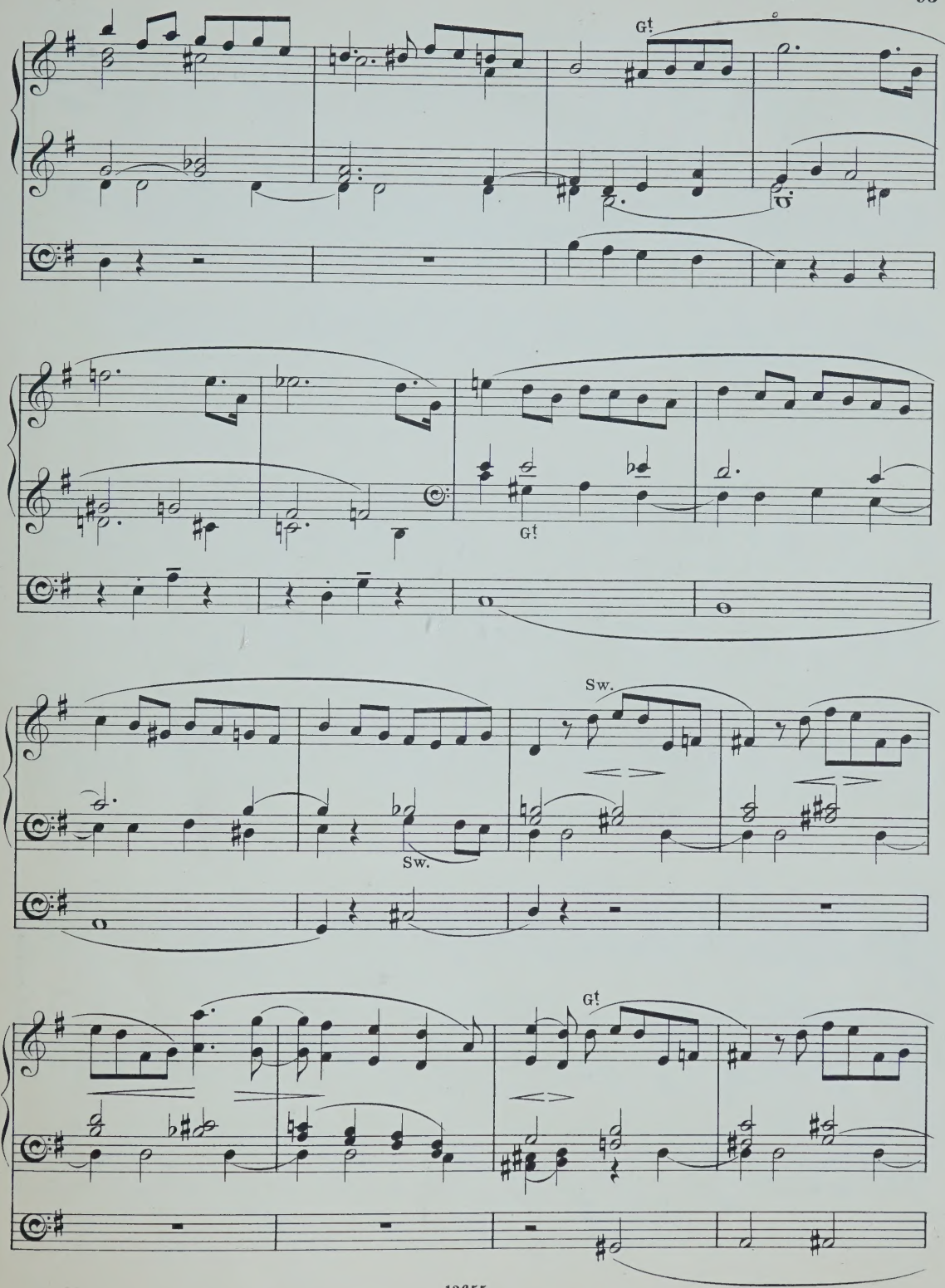
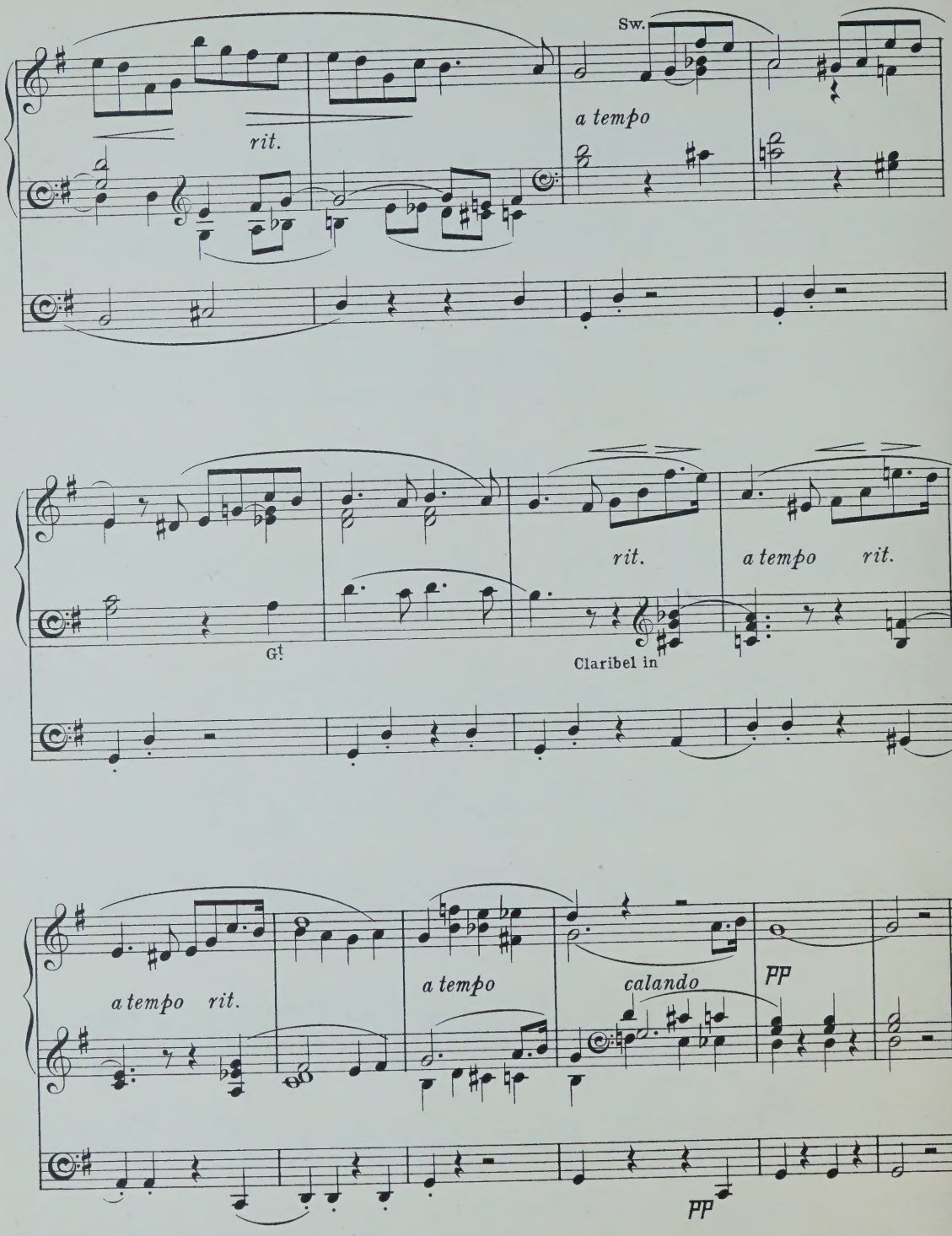

G! Claribel 8 Dulciana
Sw.
Gemshorn in
calando
p a tempo
G!
Sw.
p


Gt.
Gt.
Sw.
Sw.
Gt.

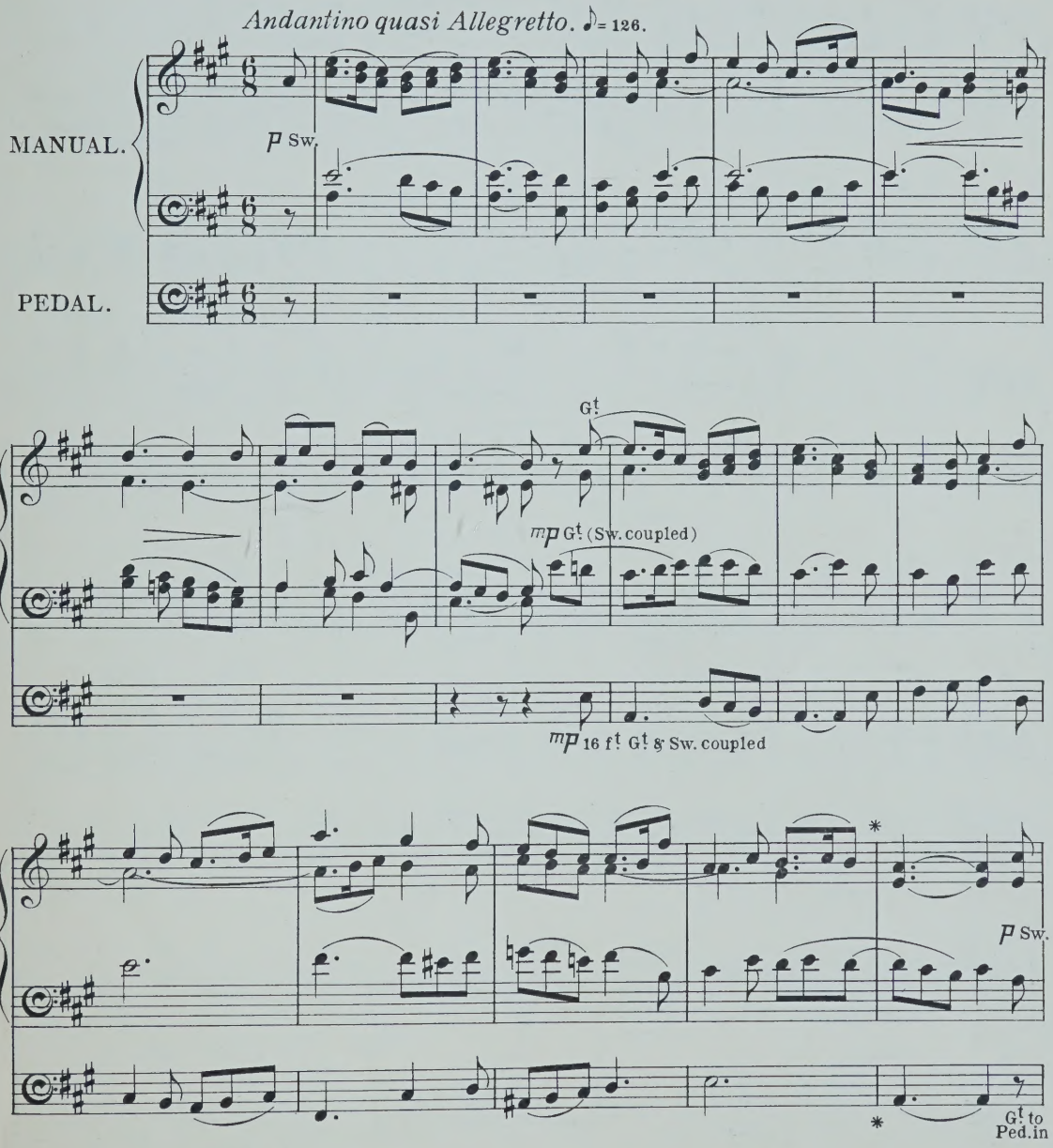

Sw.
rit.
a tempo
Gt
rit.
a tempo rit.
Claribel in
a tempo rit.
a tempo
calando
pp
pp

Pastorale in A.

Op. 21. Nº 6.

(Middle Voluntary.)

G. Merkel.



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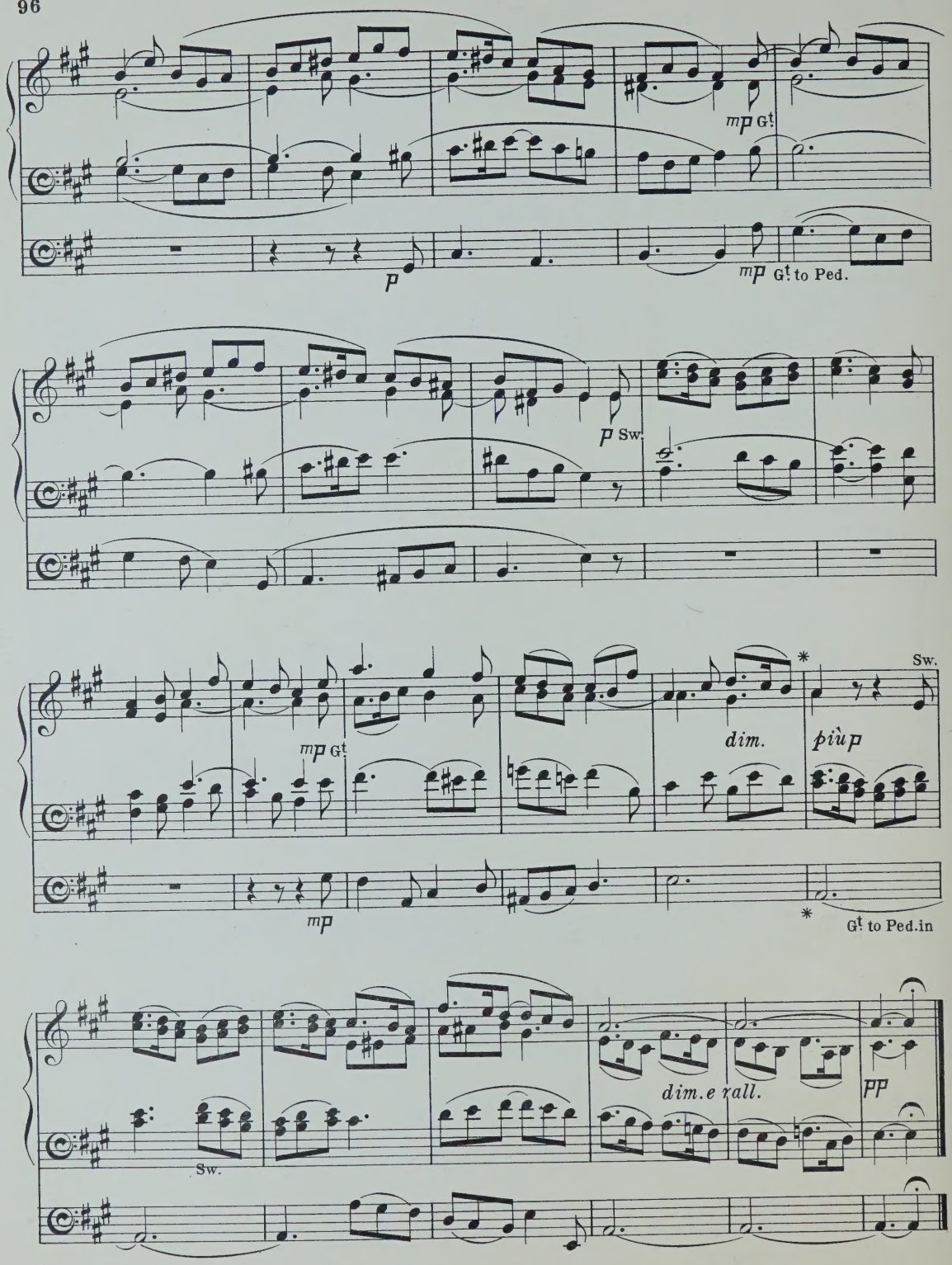

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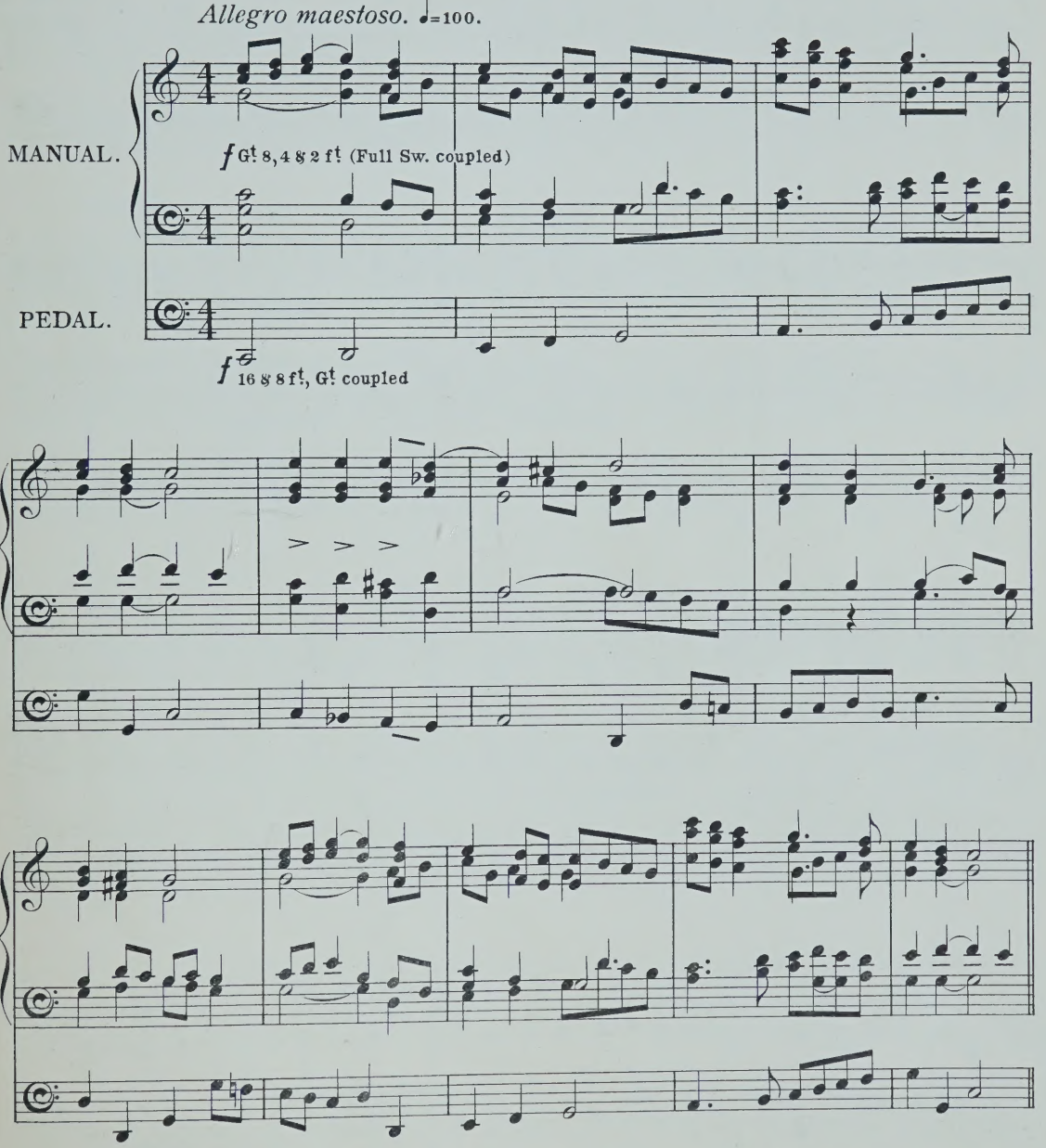
For General Thanksgiving.

Choral Song.

S. S. Wesley.

Allegro maestoso. ♩=100.



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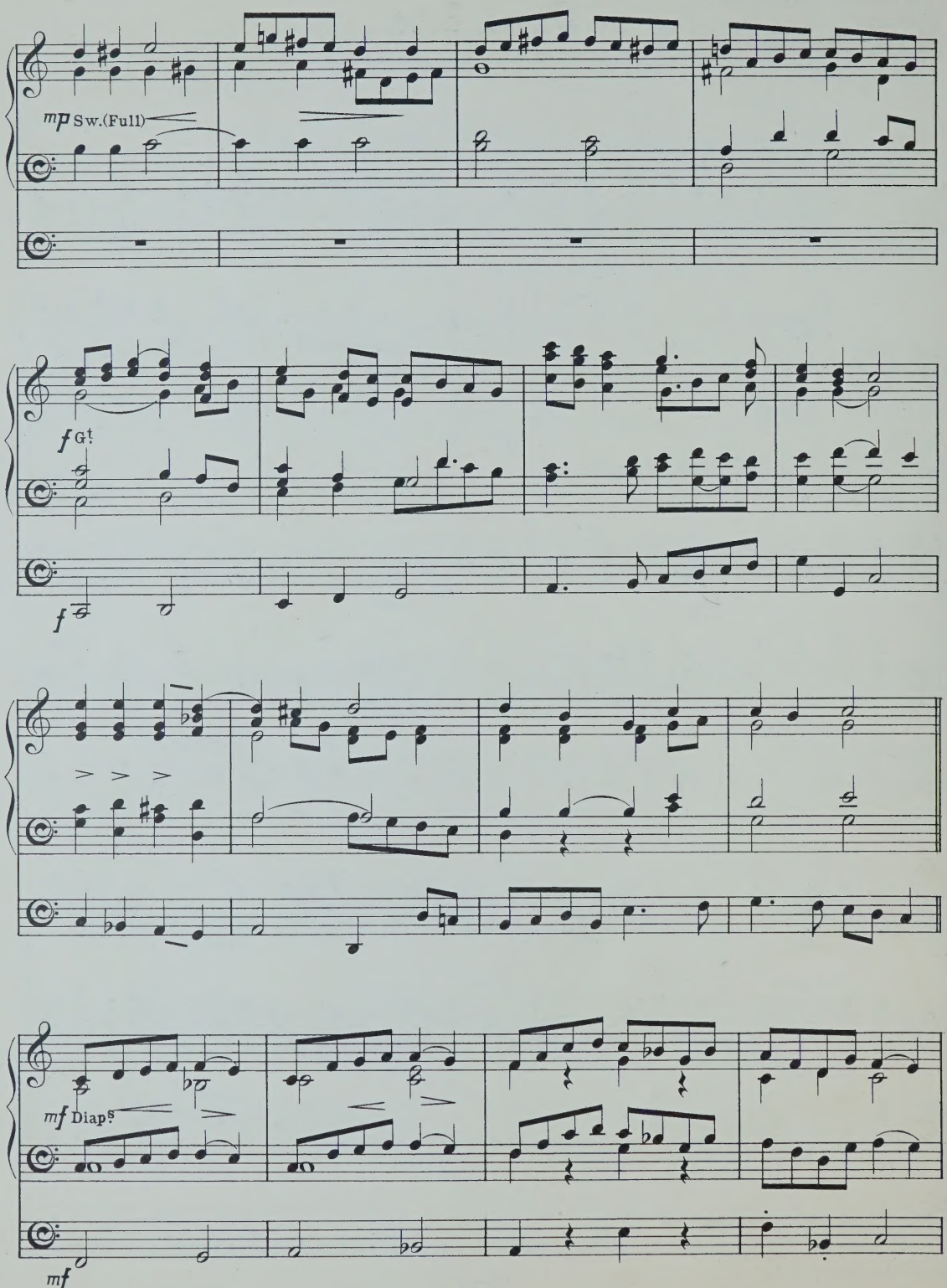
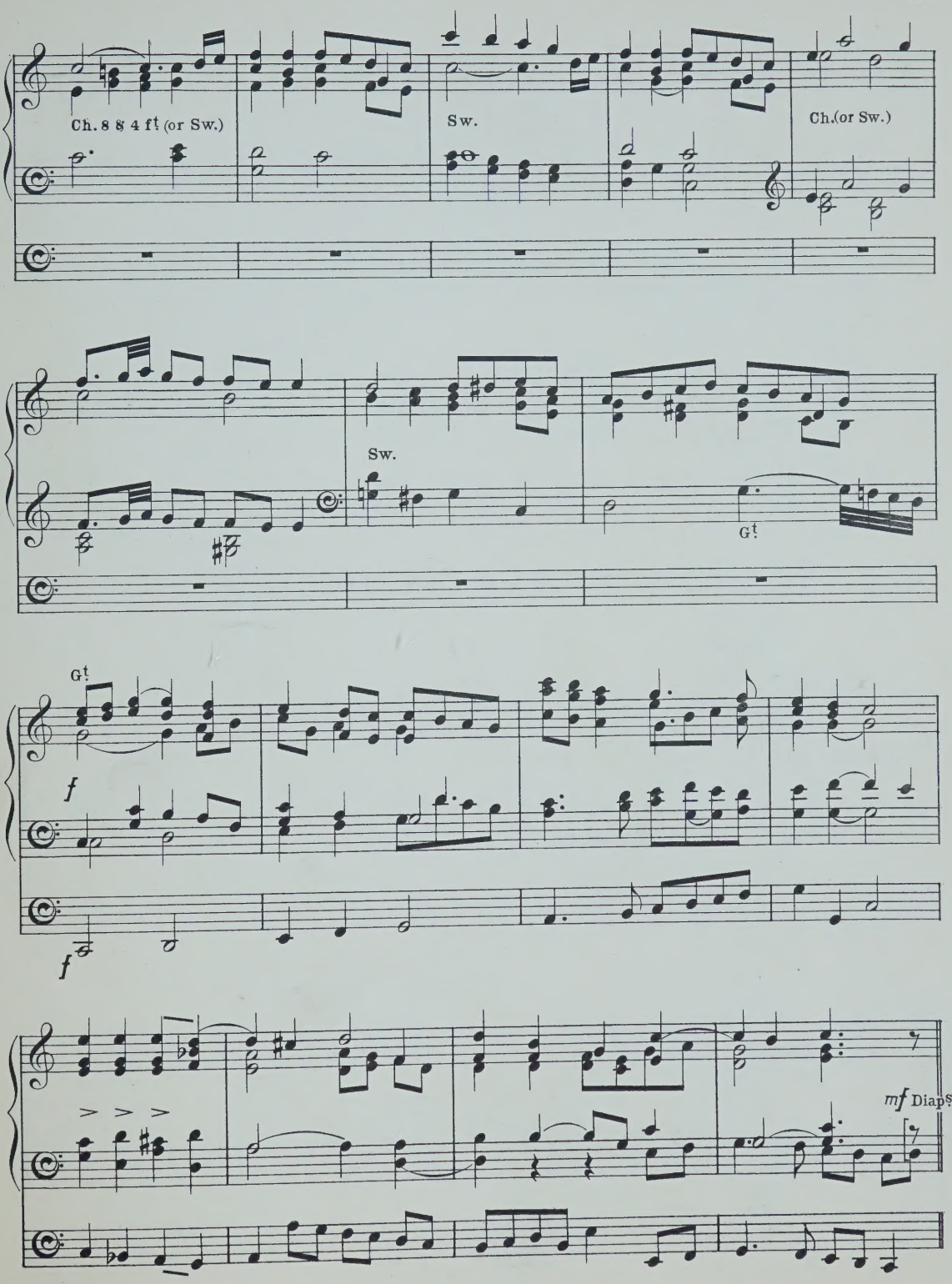
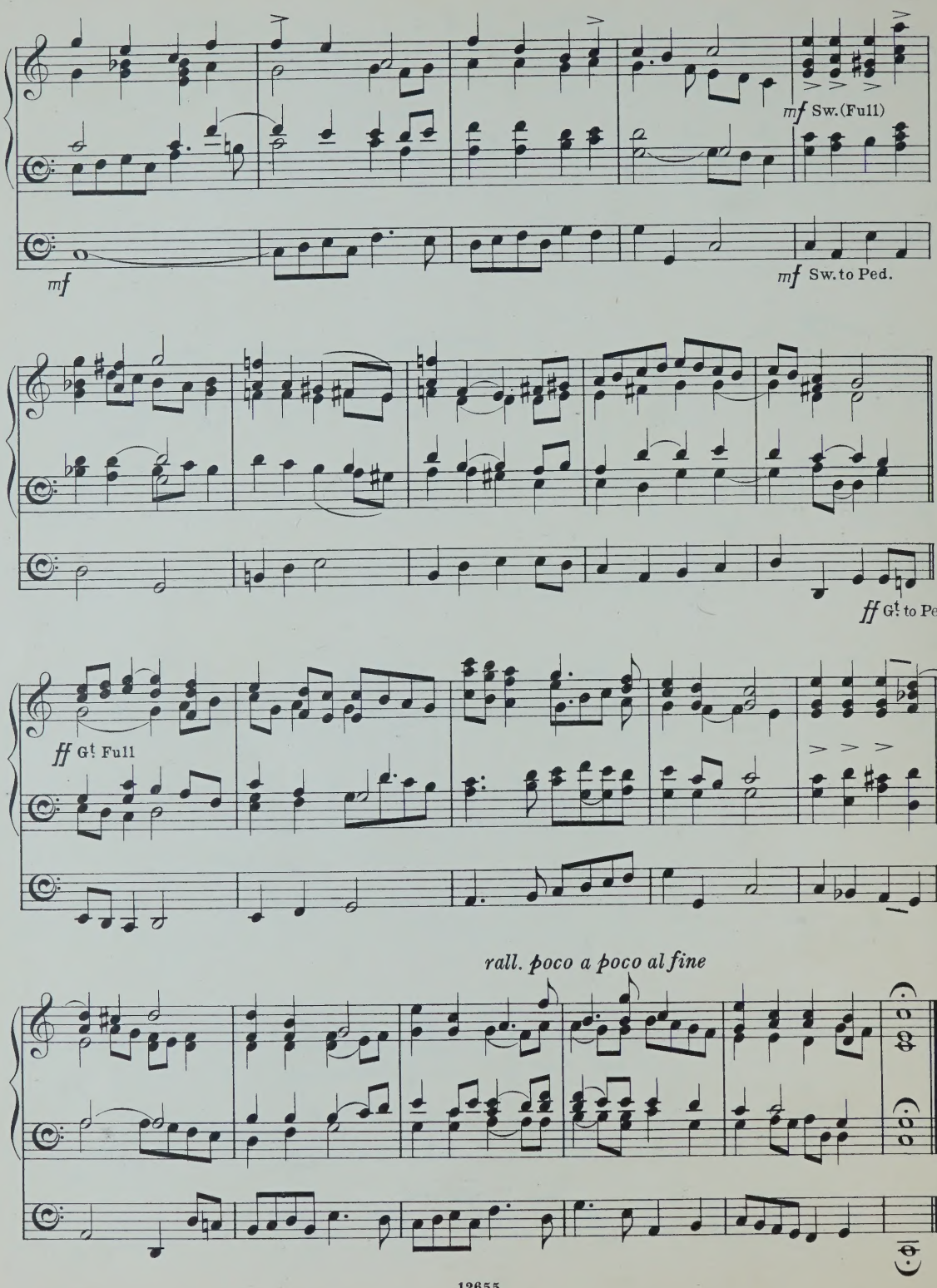
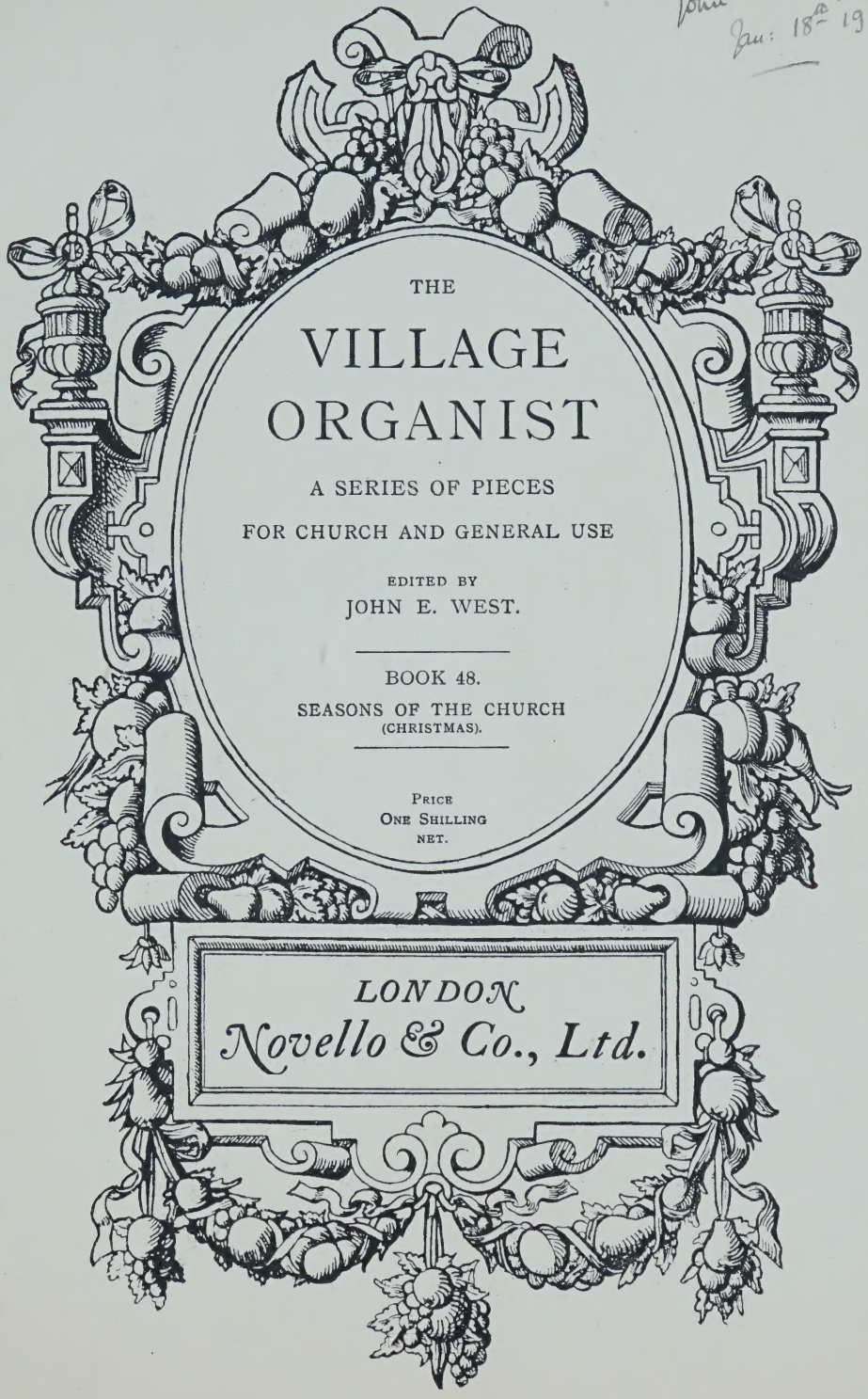

mp Sw.(Full)
f Gt
f
mf Diap's
mf


Ch. 8 8 4 ft (or Sw.)
Sw.
Ch.(or Sw.)
Sw.
Gt
Gt
f
f
mf Diap's


mf Sw.(Full)
mf
mf Sw.to Ped.
ff Gt to Ped.
ff Gt Full
rall. poco a poco al fine

John MacTaggart
Jan: 18th 1912



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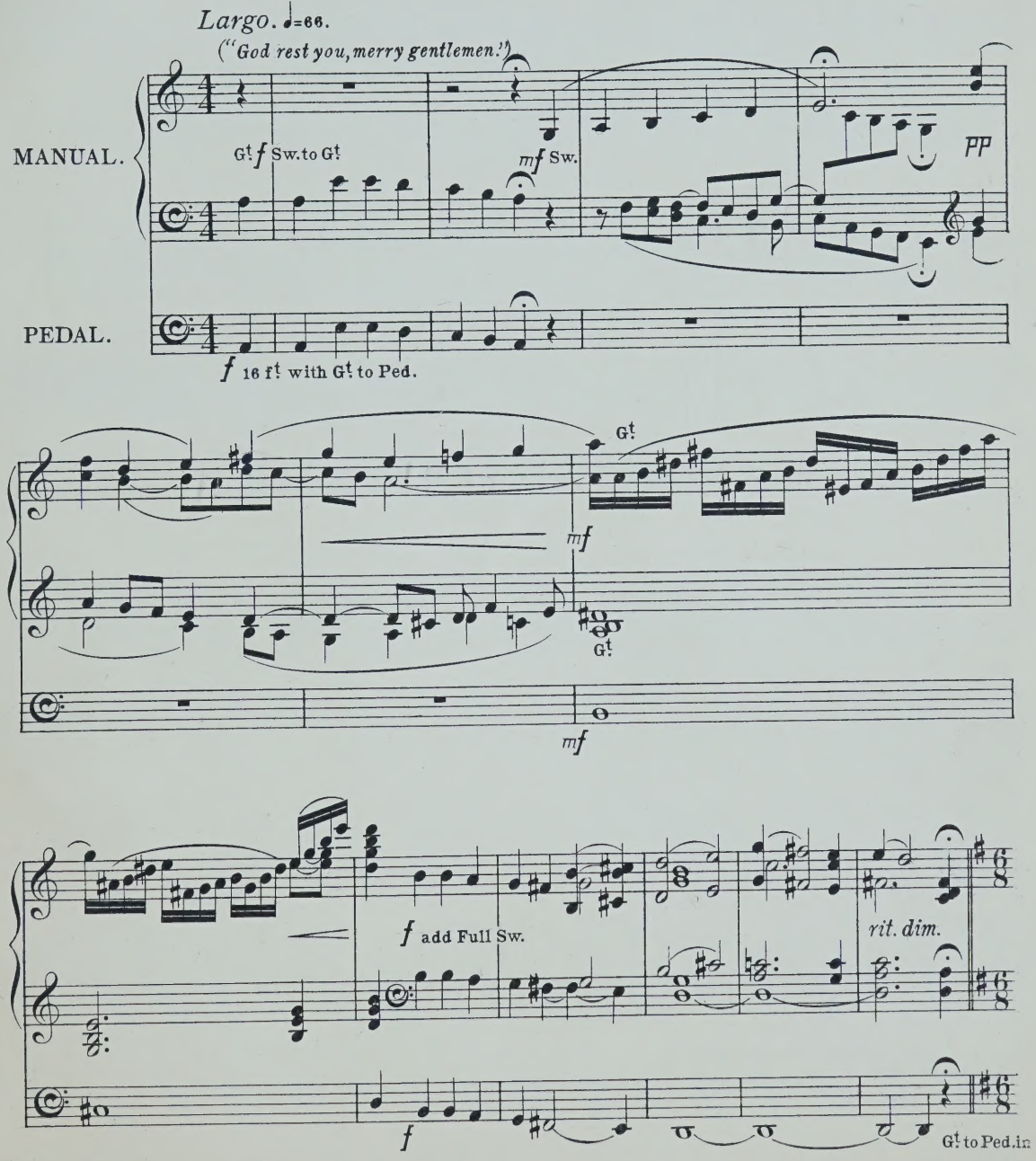
Fantasy.

ON OLD CHRISTMAS CAROLS.

(Concluding Voluntary.)

Hugh Blair.



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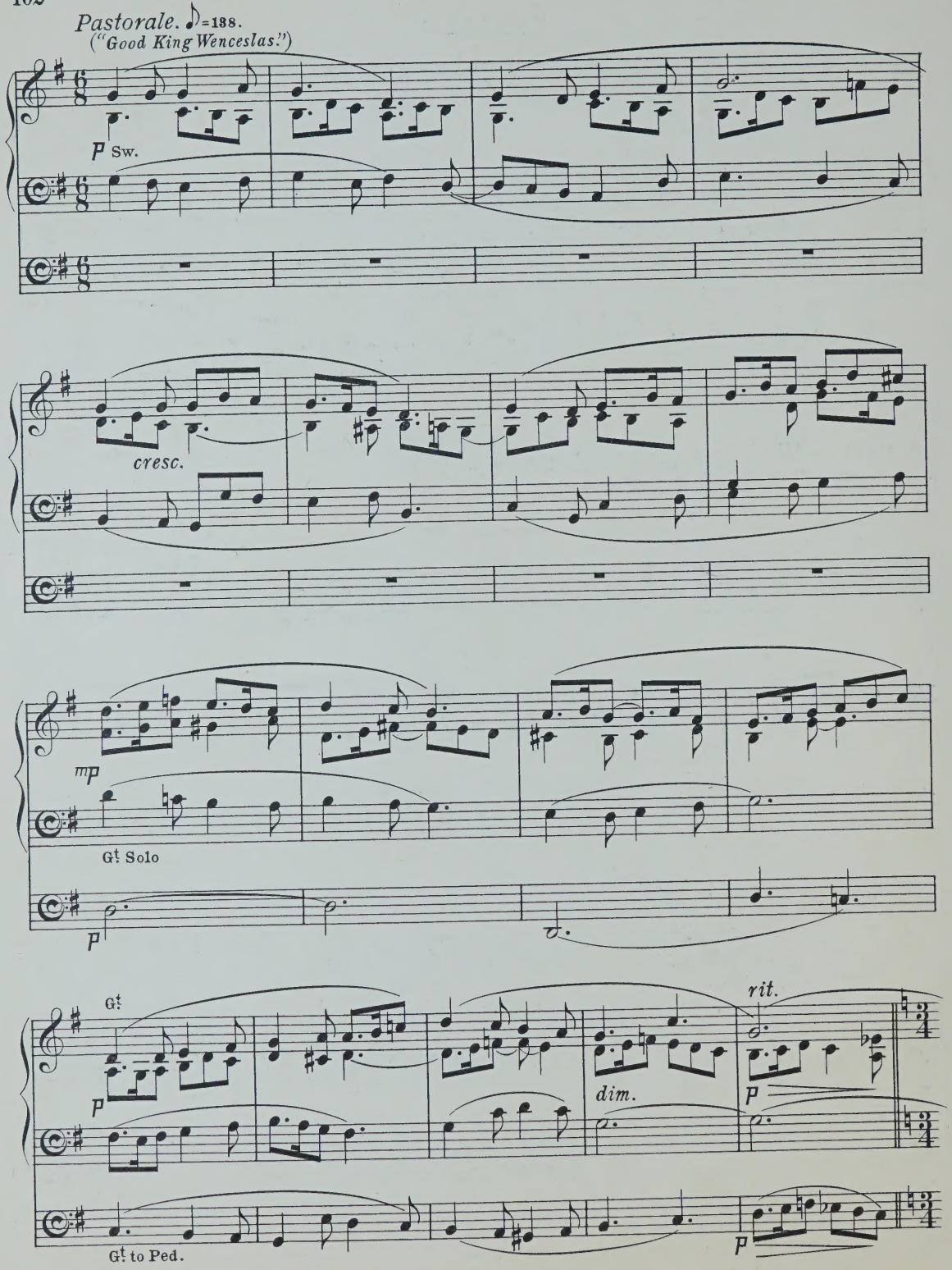
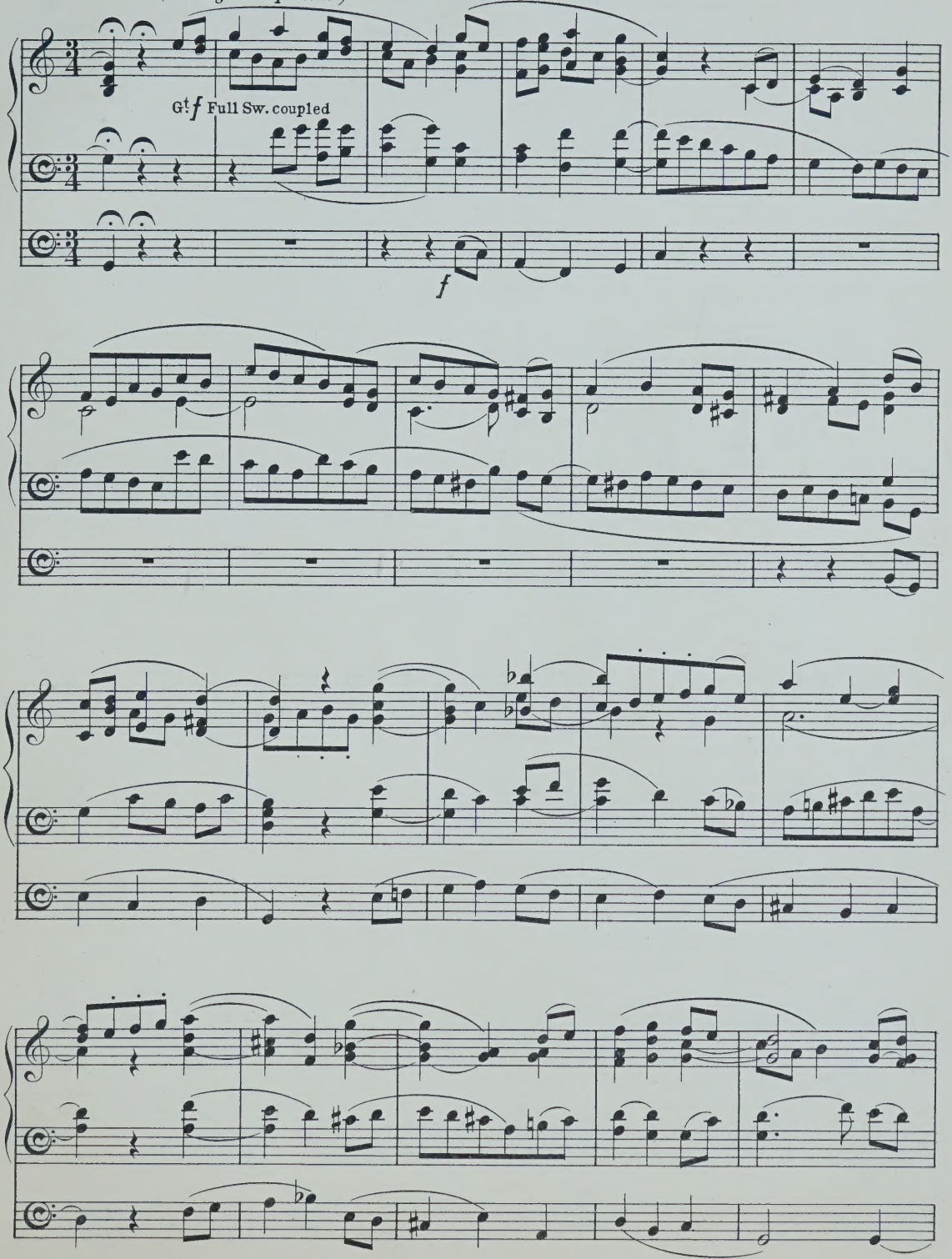
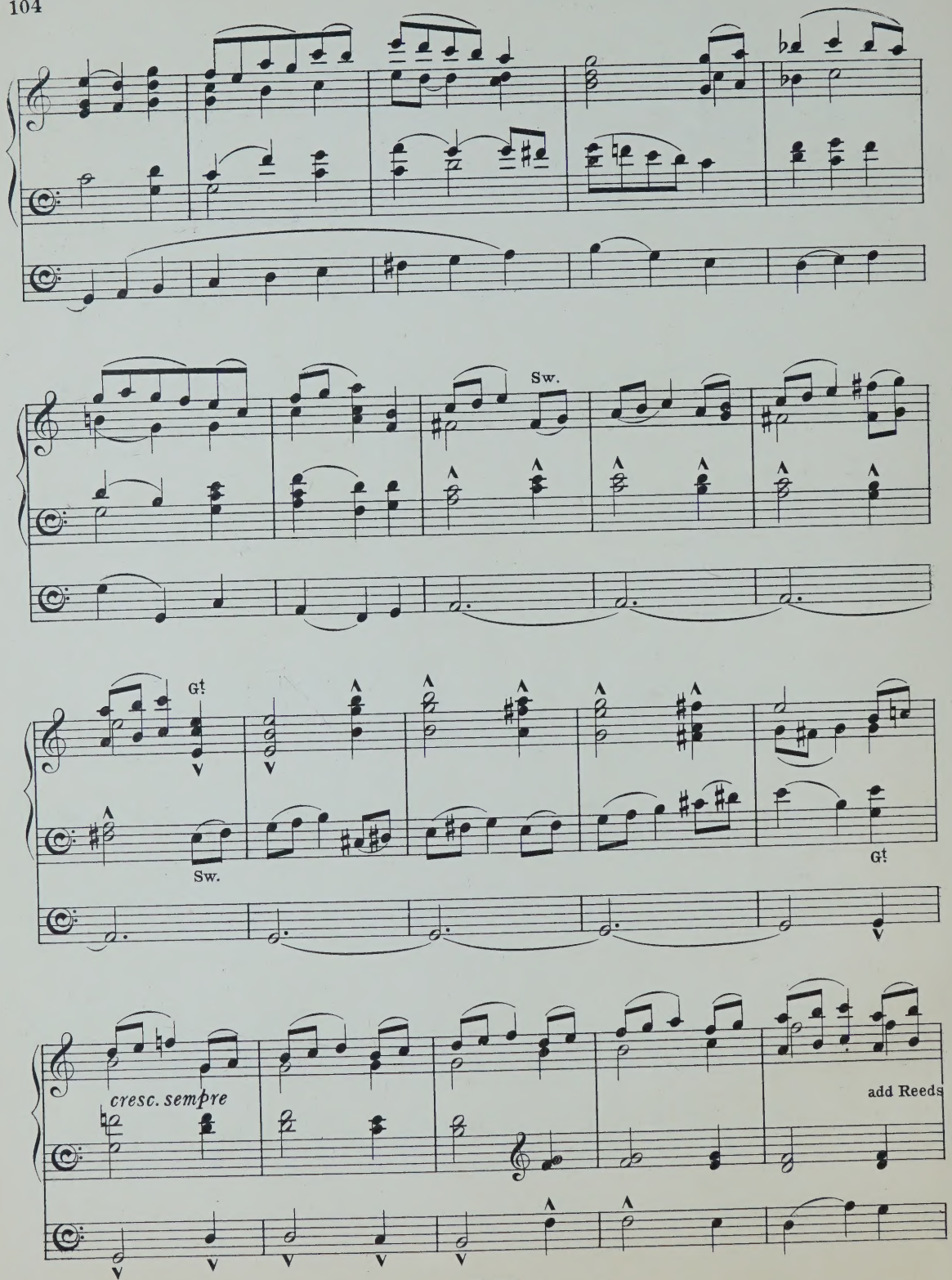
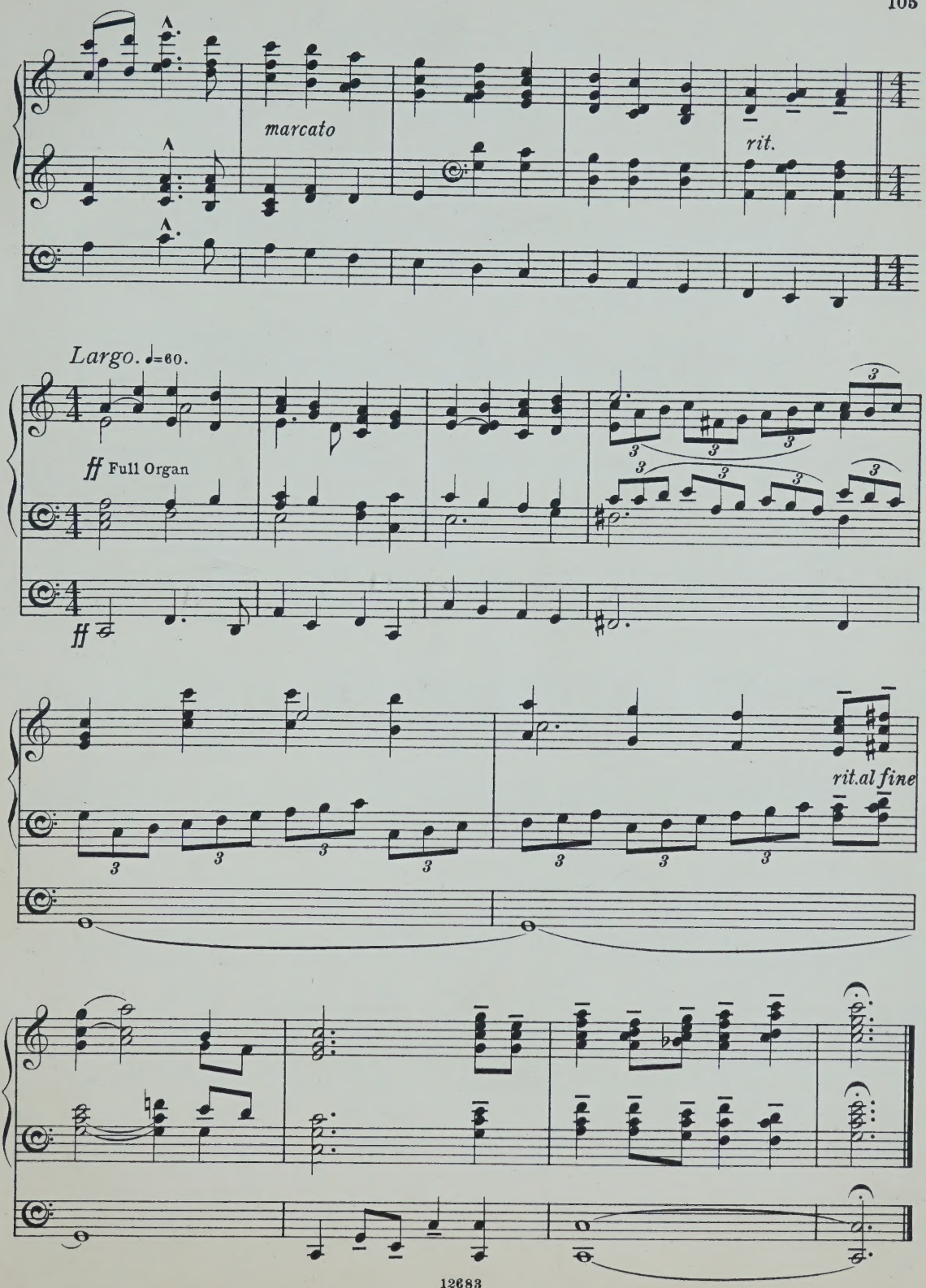

Pastorale. ♪=188.
("Good King Wenceslas.")
p Sw.
cresc.
mp
Gt Solo
p
Gt
p
dim.
rit.
p
Gt to Ped.
p

Allegro moderato. ♩=108.

("A Virgin unspotted.")




Sw.
Gt
Sw.
Gt
cresc. sempre
add Reeds

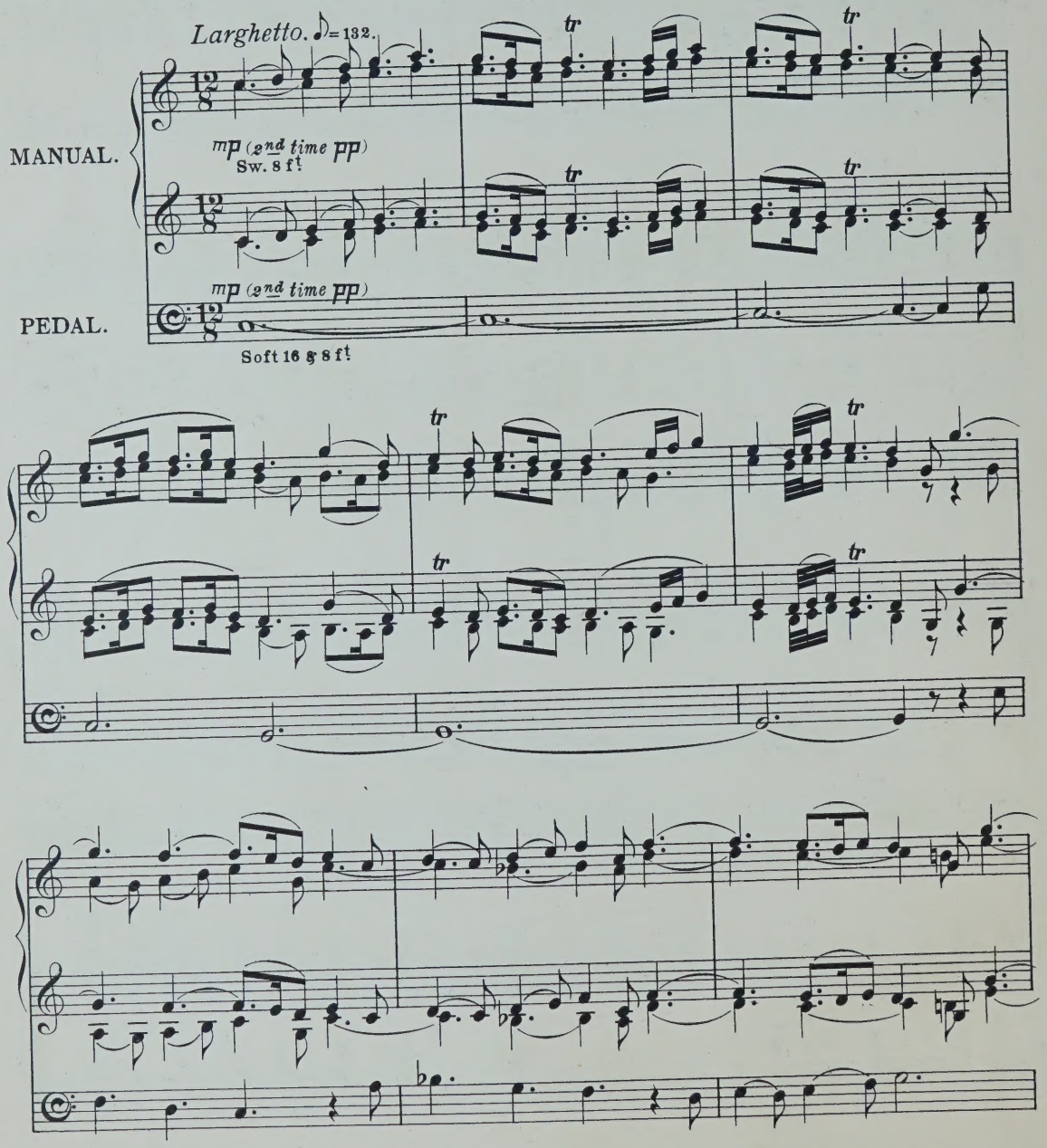

marcato
rit.
Largo. ♩=60.
ff Full Organ
ff
rit.al fine

Pastoral Symphony

FROM "THE MESSIAH."

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Handel.



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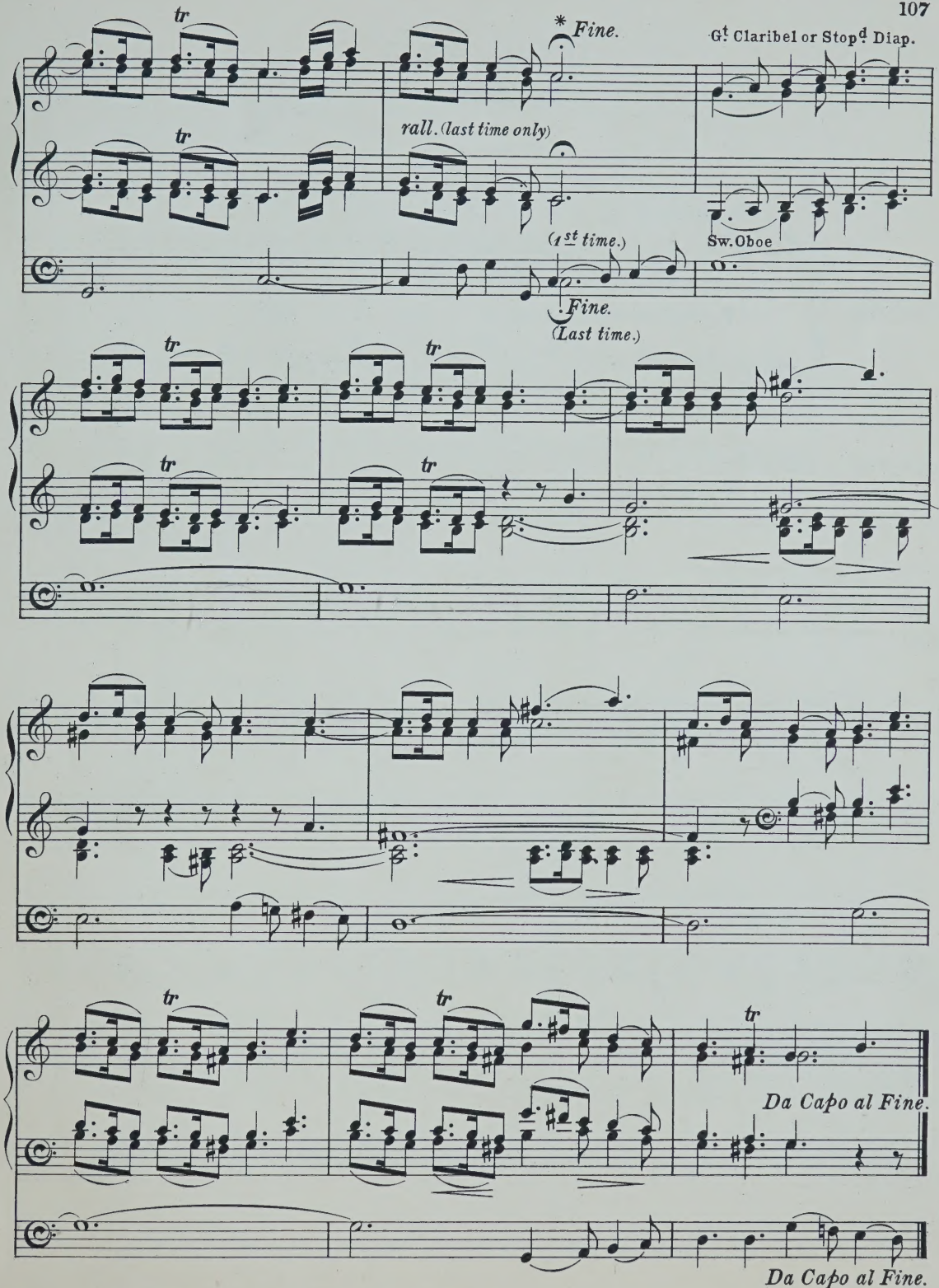

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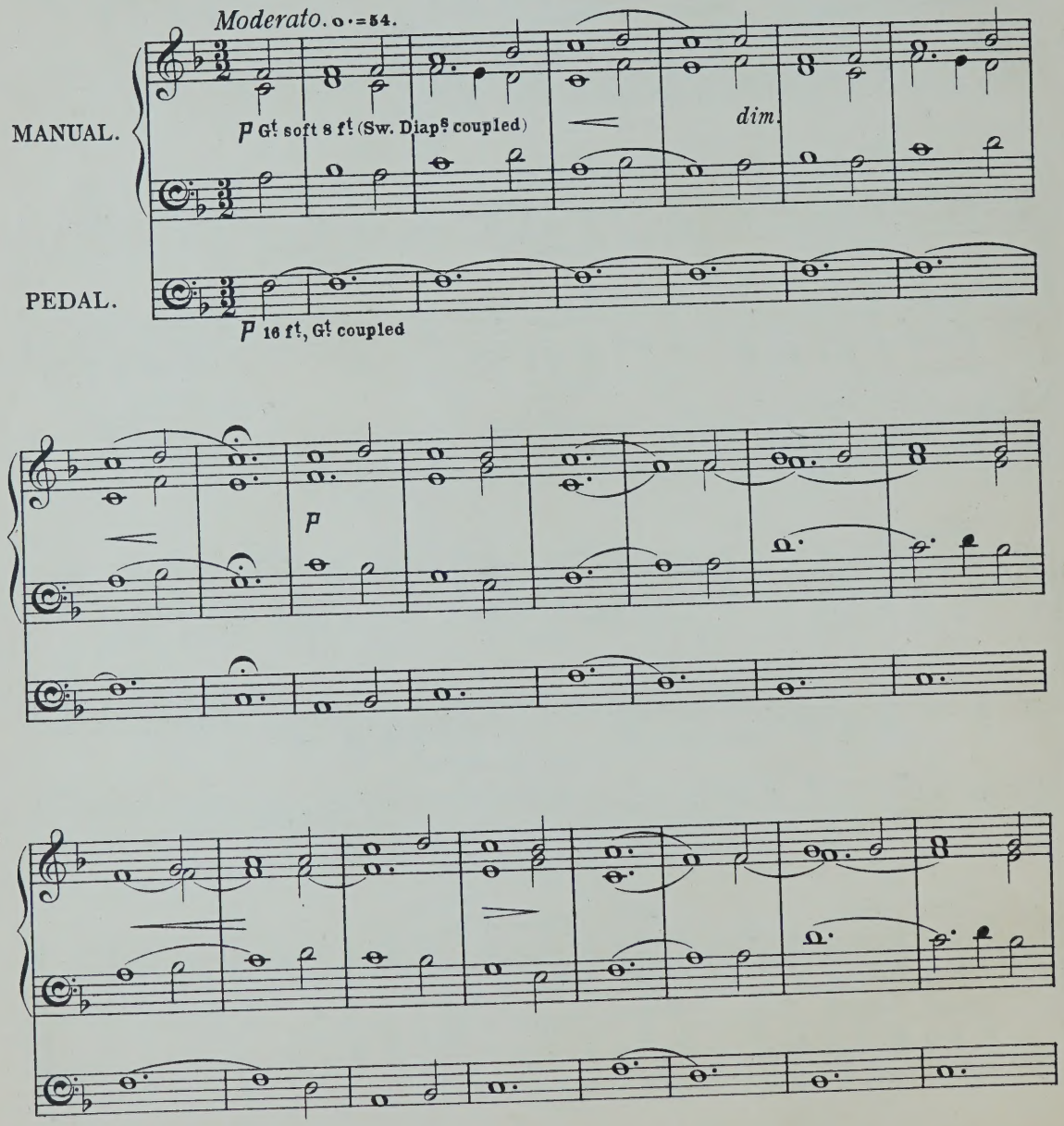
"In dulci jubilo."

(Concluding Voluntary.)

Ancient Carol,
Arranged by
R. L. de Pearsall.



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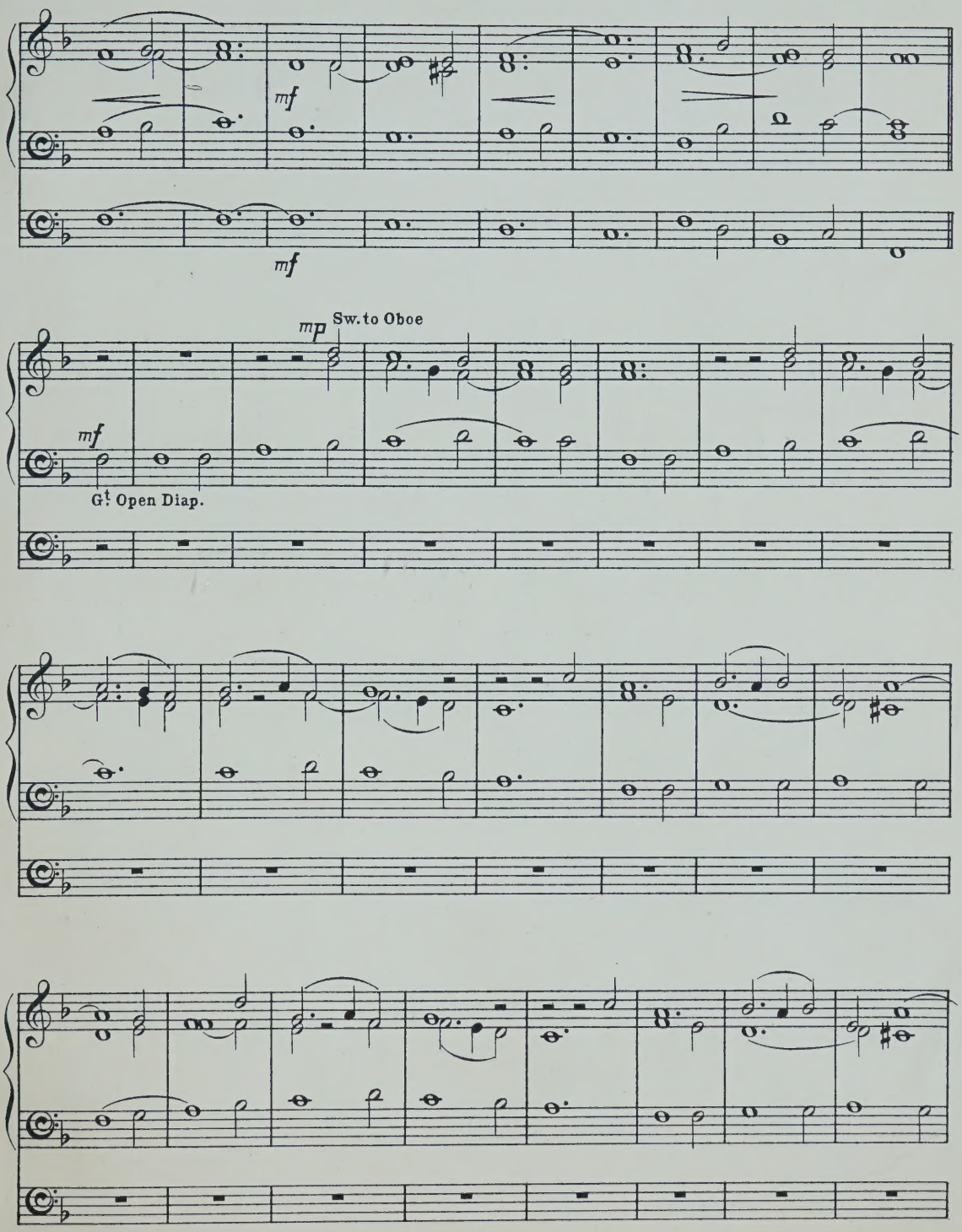
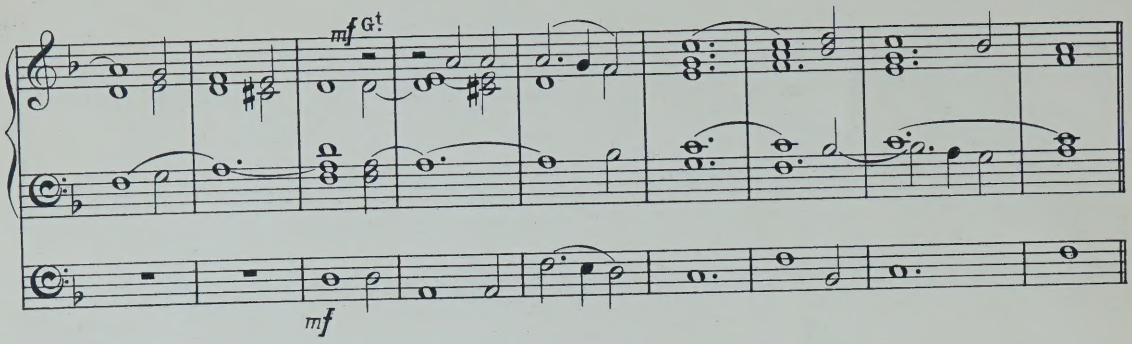
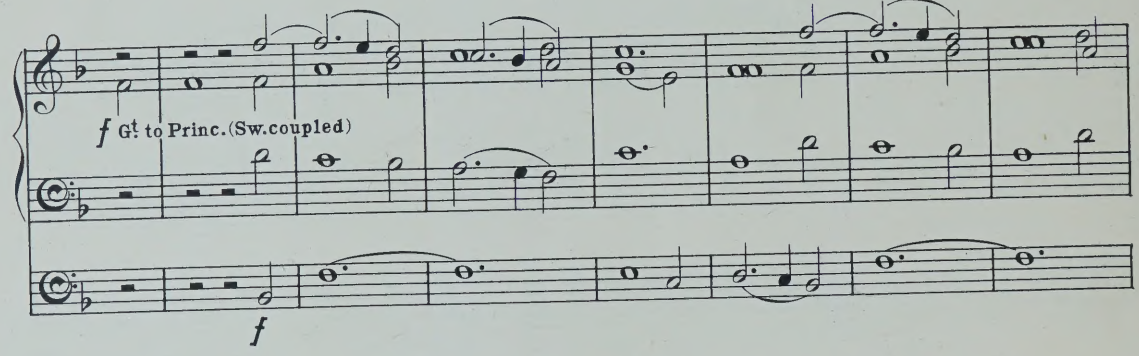
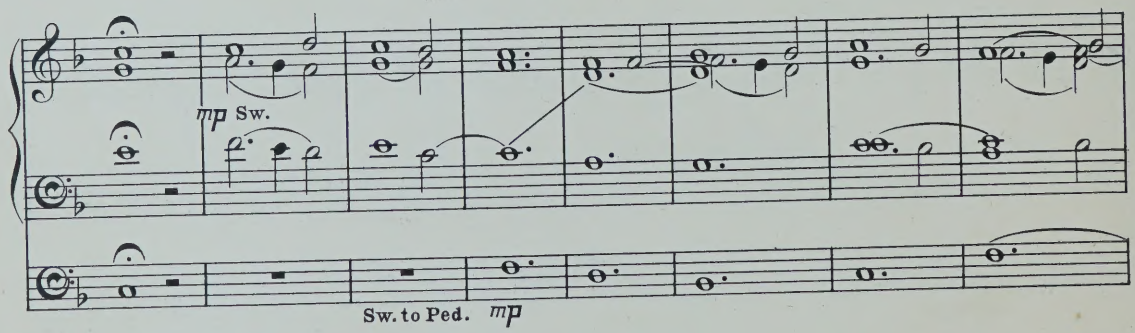
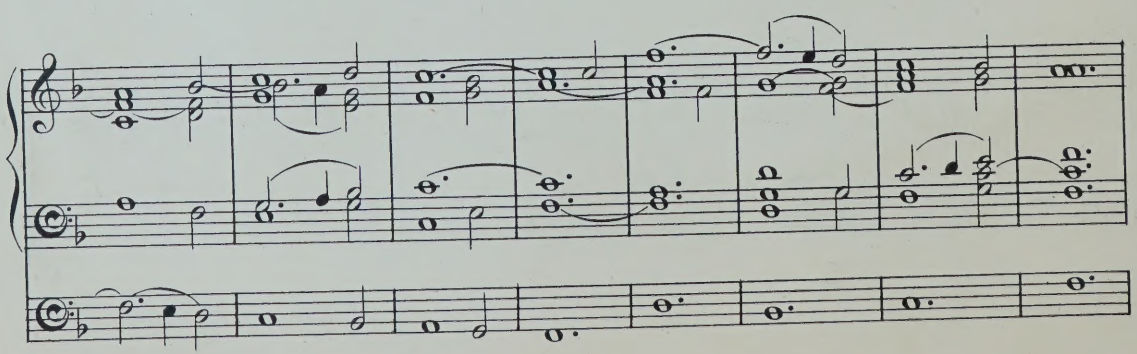
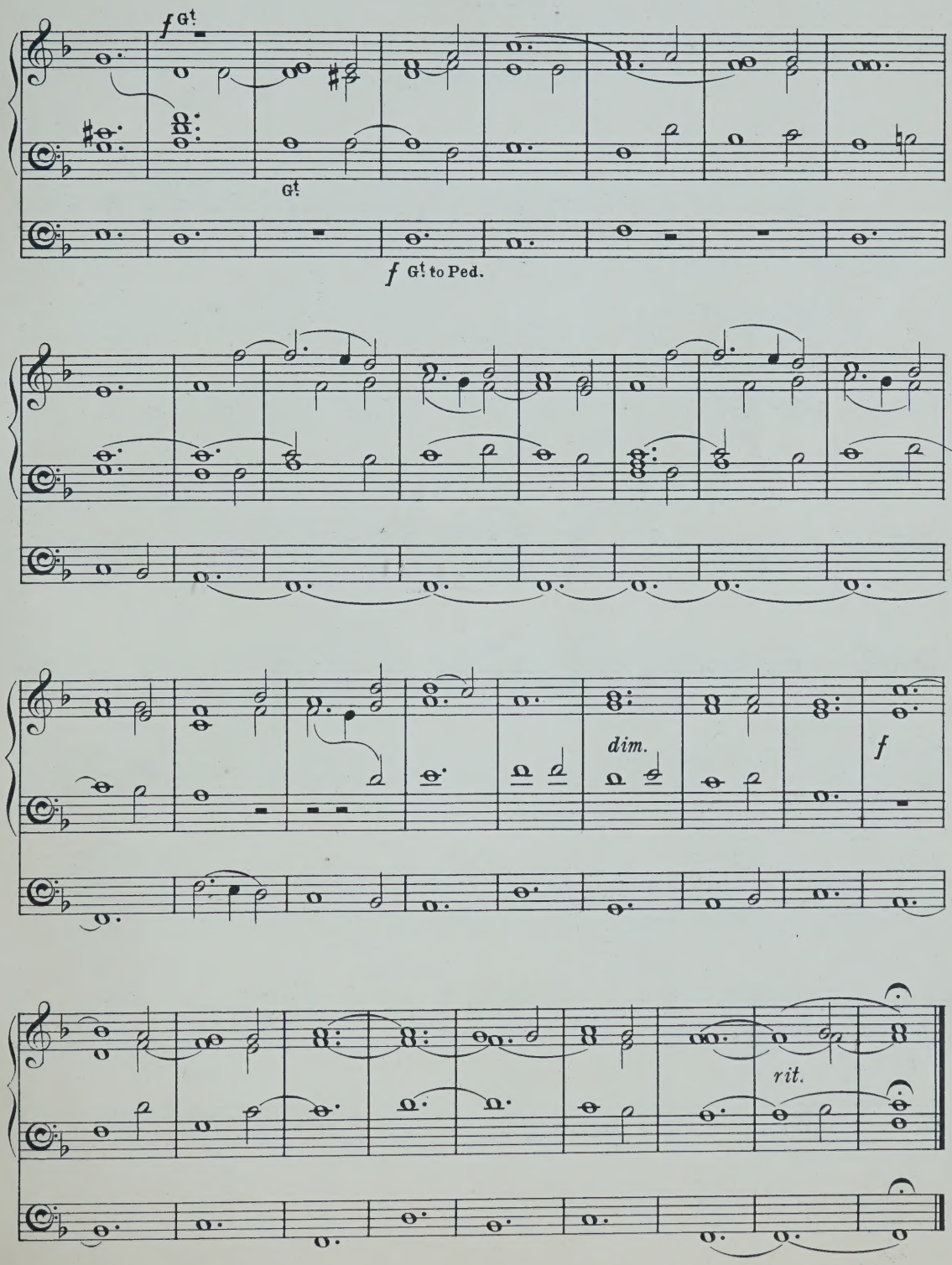

mf
mf
mp
Sw. to Oboe
mf
G! Open Diap.


mf Gt.
mf


f Gt. to Princ. (Sw. coupled)
f


mp Sw.
Sw. to Ped. mp



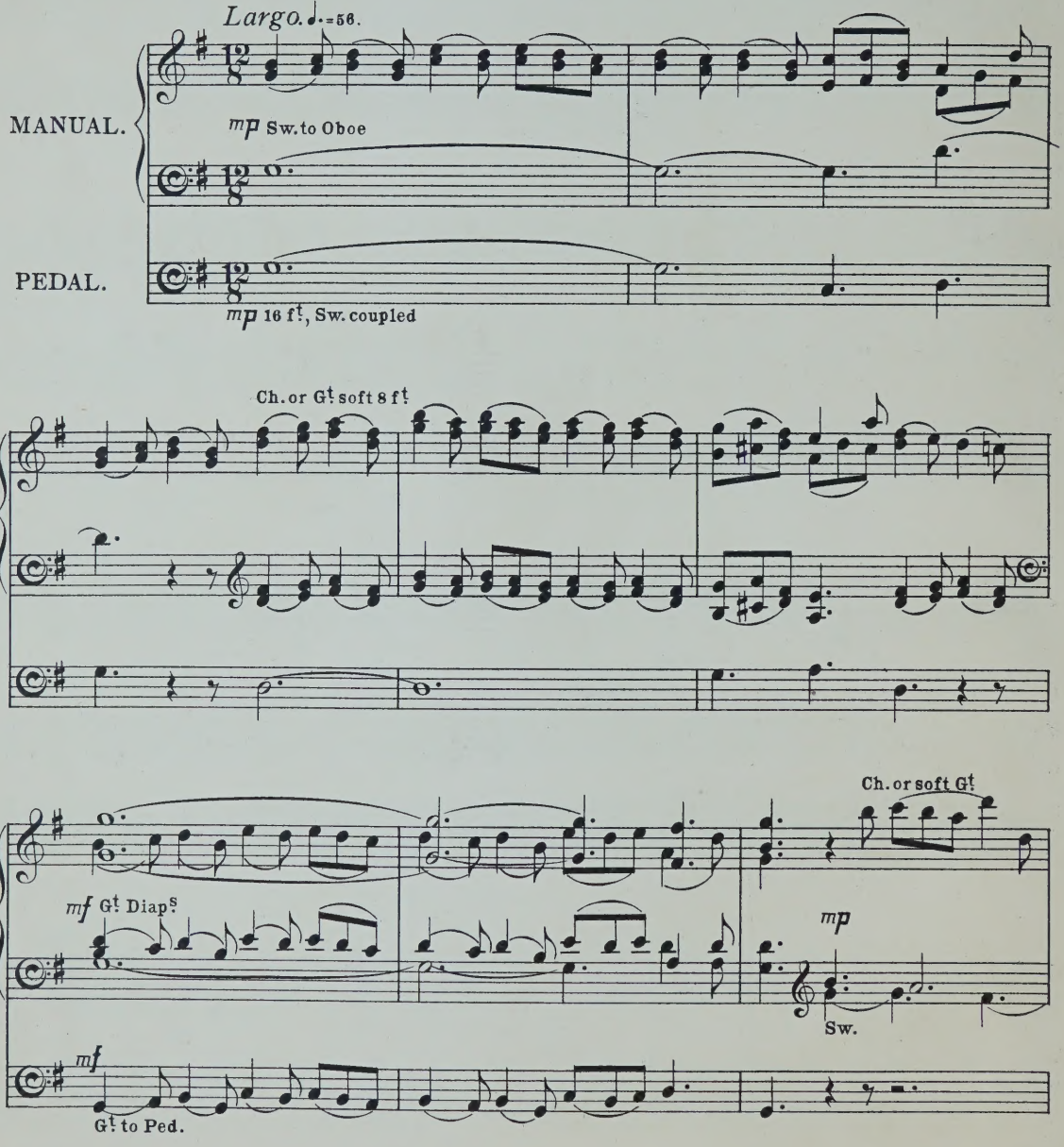

f Gt.
Gt.
f Gt. to Ped.
dim.
f
rit.

Pastorale.

FROM 8th CONCERTO.

(Introductory Voluntary.)

Corelli.



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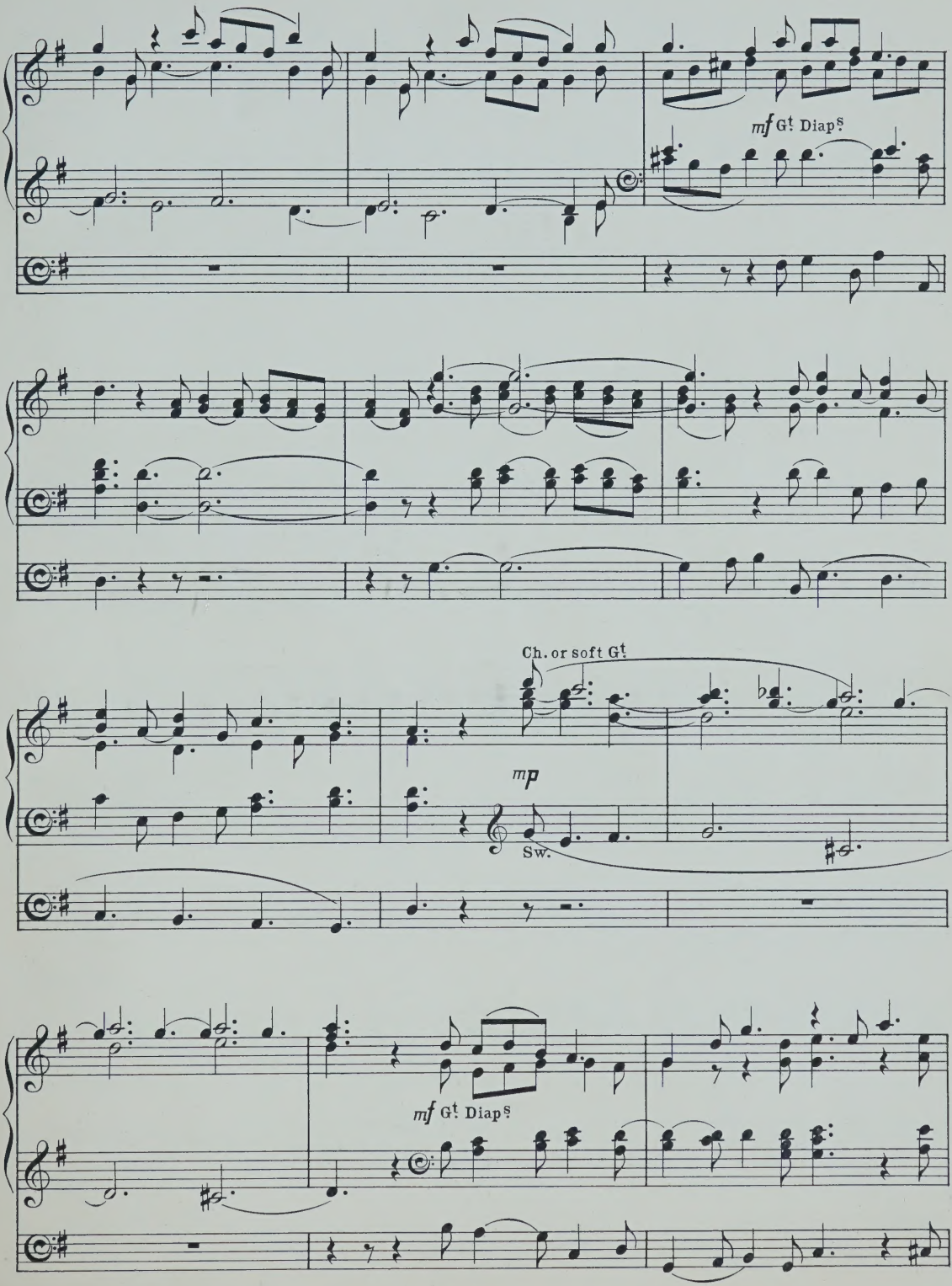
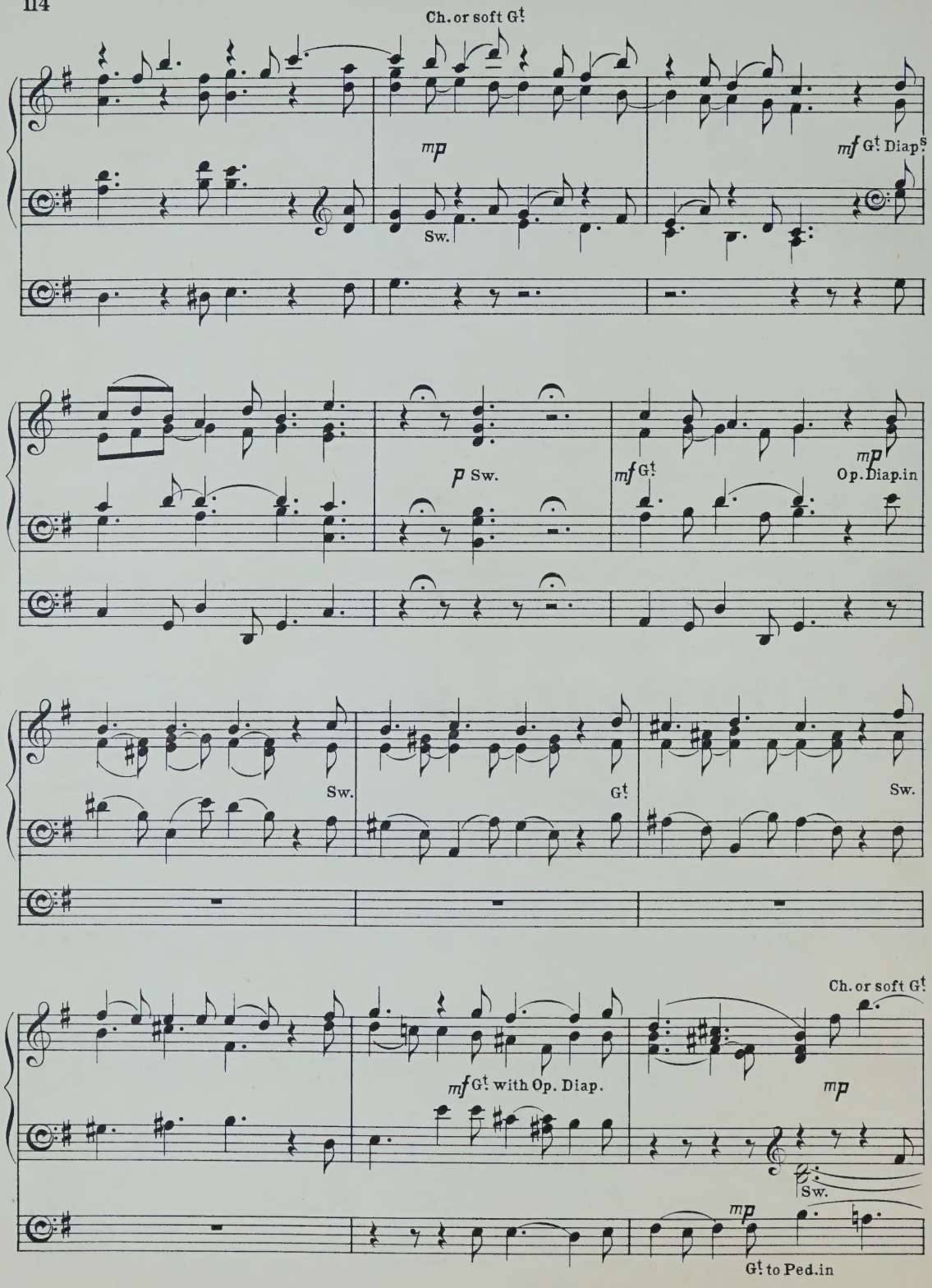
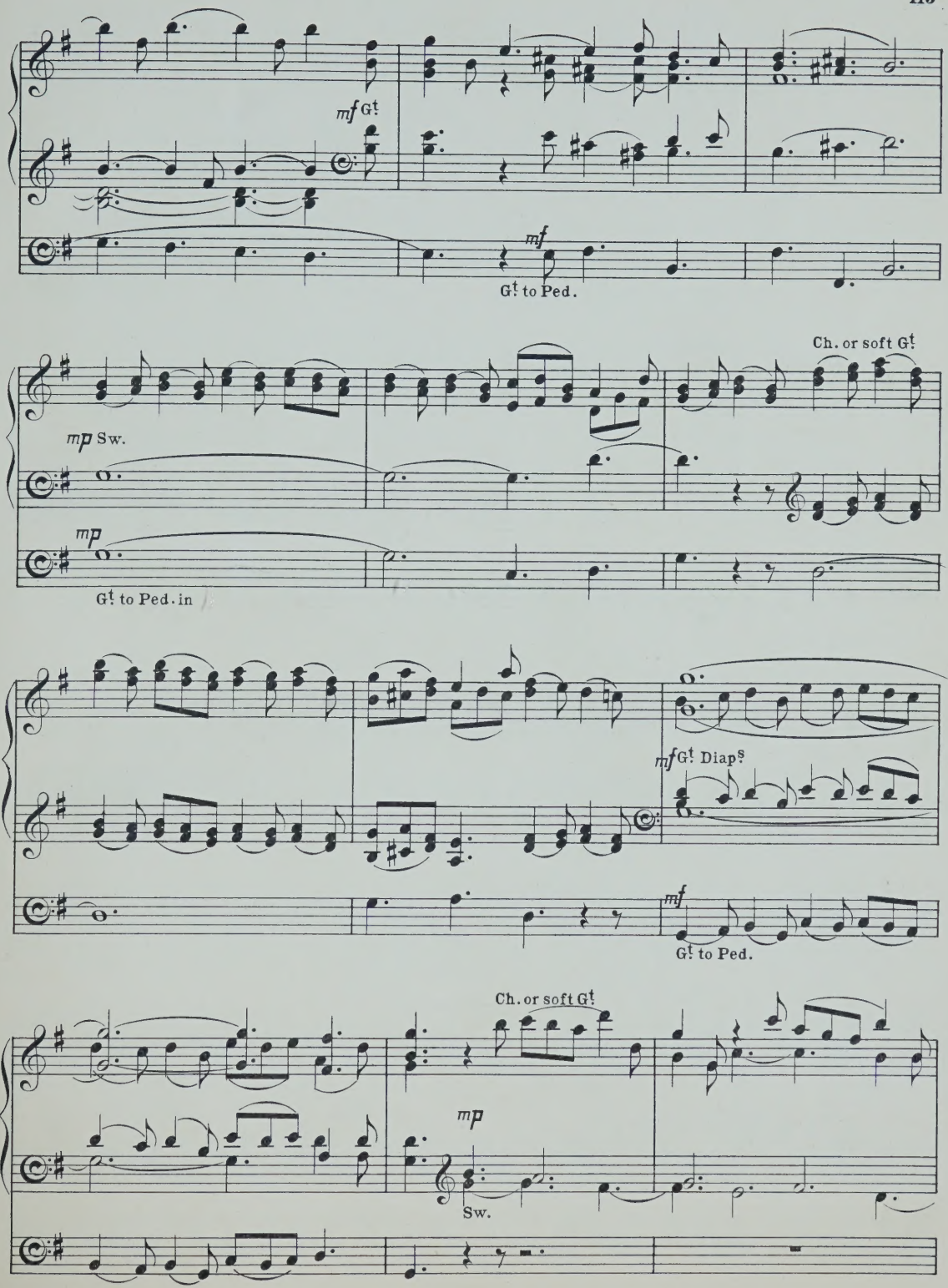
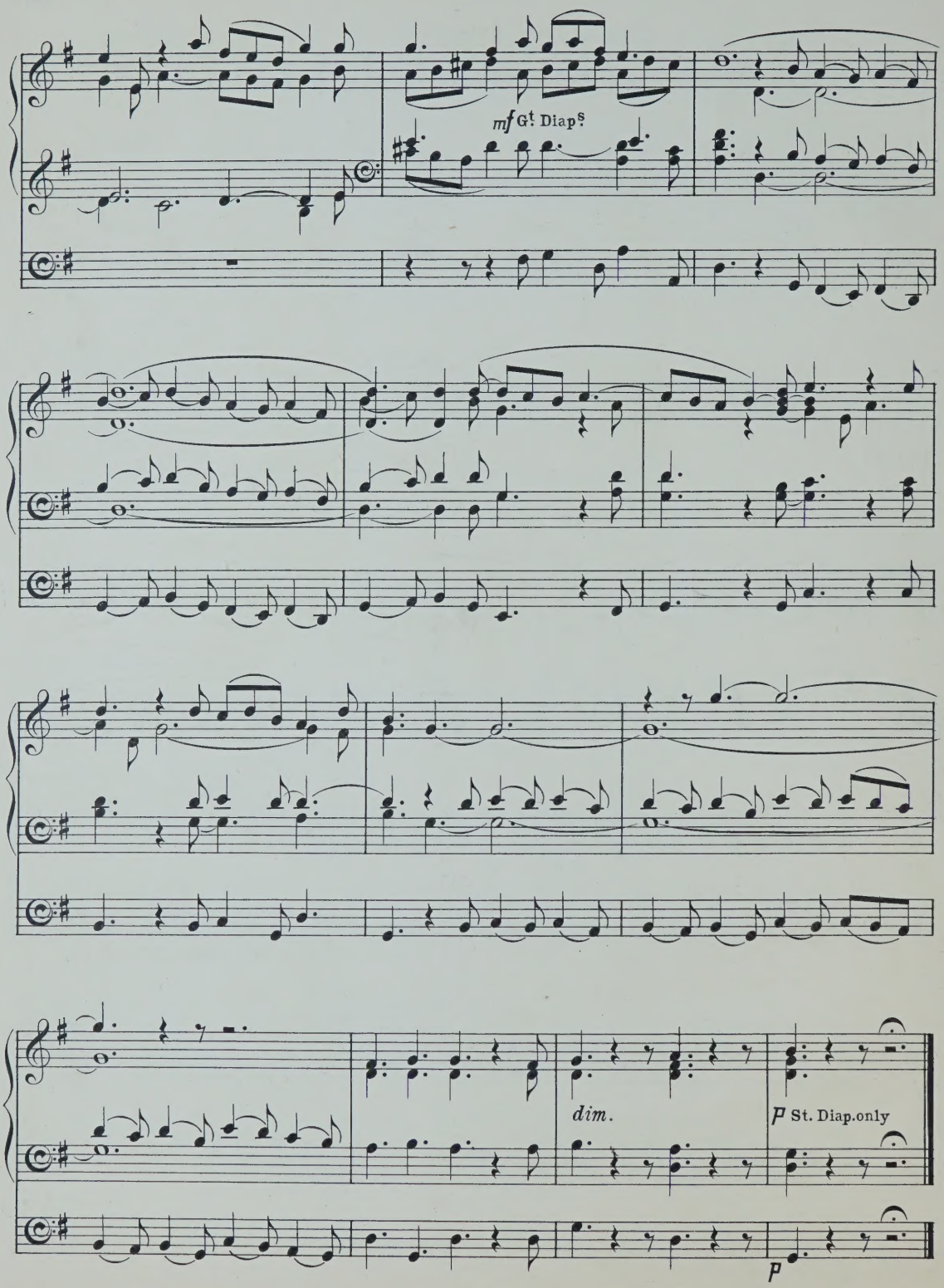

mf Gt. Diaps
Ch. or soft Gt.
mp
Sw.
mf Gt. Diaps


Ch. or soft G^{t}
mp
Sw.
mf G^{t} Diap^{s}
p Sw.
mf G^{t}
mp
Op. Diap. in
Sw.
G^{t}
Sw.
Ch. or soft G^{t}
mf G^{t} with Op. Diap.
mp
Sw.
mp
G^{t} to Ped. in

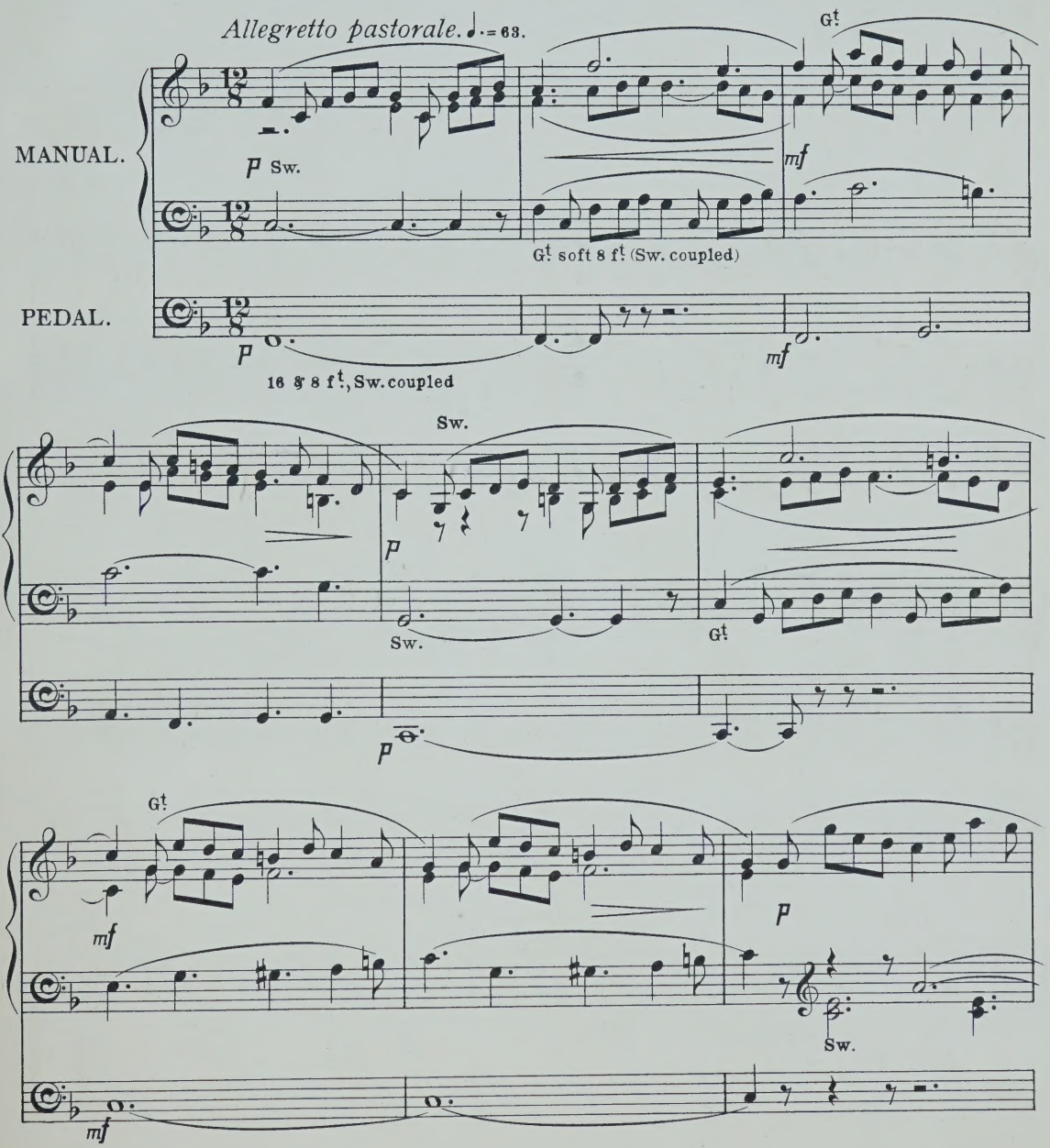

mf G.
G. to Ped.
mp Sw.
mp
G. to Ped. in
Ch. or soft G.
mf G. Diap.s
mf
G. to Ped.
Ch. or soft G.
mp
Sw.


mf Gt Diaps
dim.
P St. Diap.only
P

Christmas.

Op. 205. No. 1.

Max Oesten.



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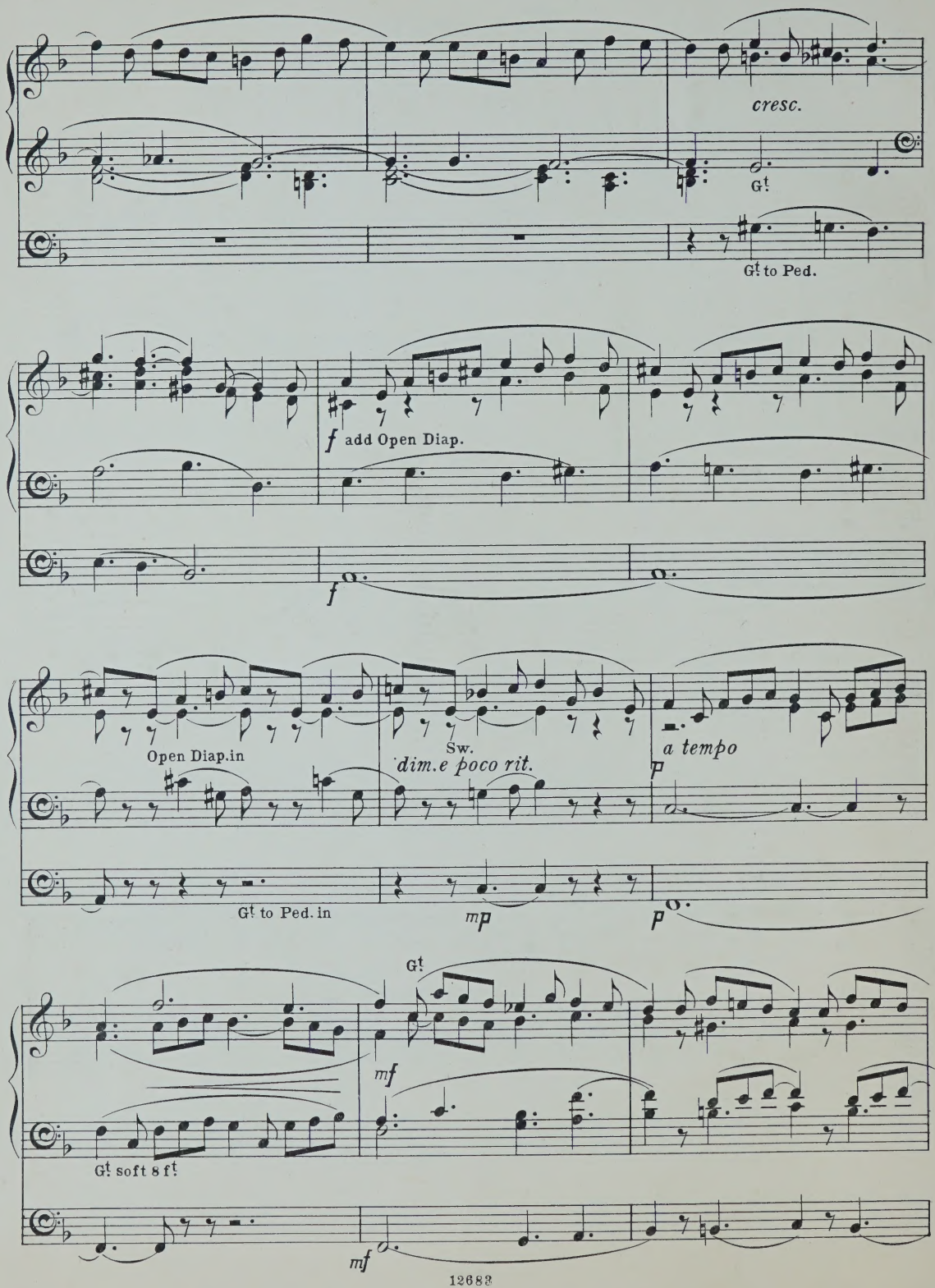
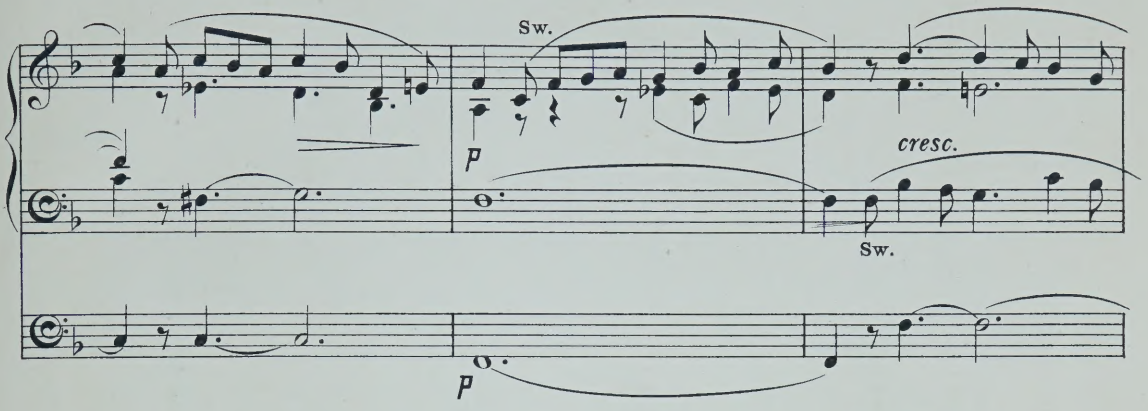
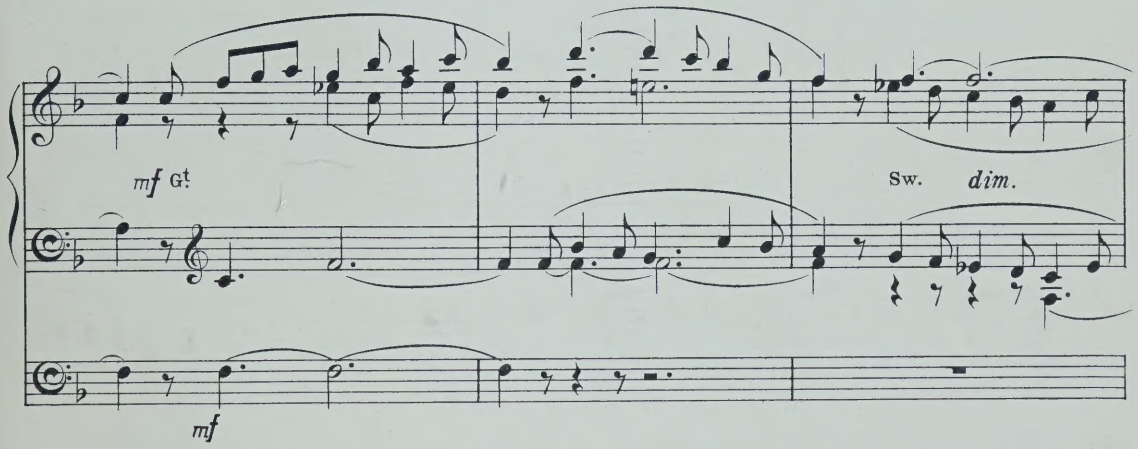
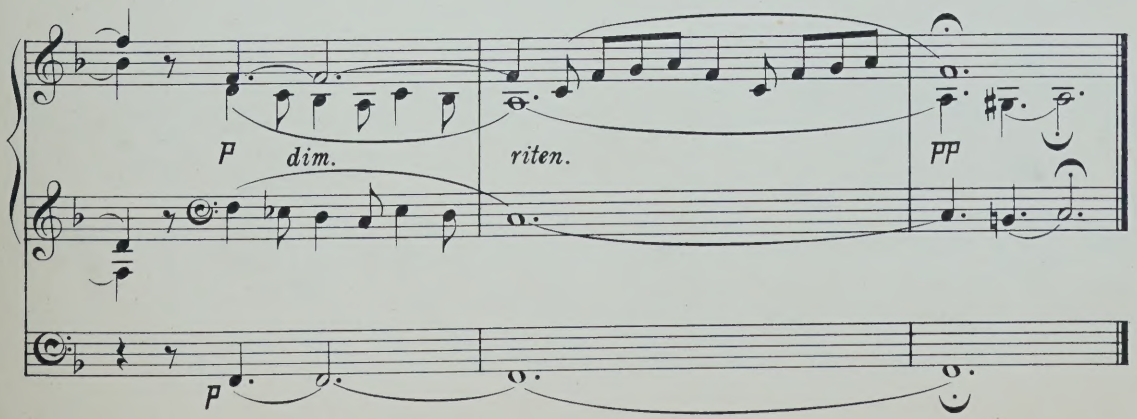

cresc.
Gt
Gt to Ped.
f add Open Diap.
f
Open Diap.in
Sw.
dim.e poco rit.
a tempo
p
Gt to Ped. in
mp
p
Gt
mf
Gt soft 8 ft
mf


Sw.
p
cresc.
Sw.
p


mf Gt
Sw. dim.
mf

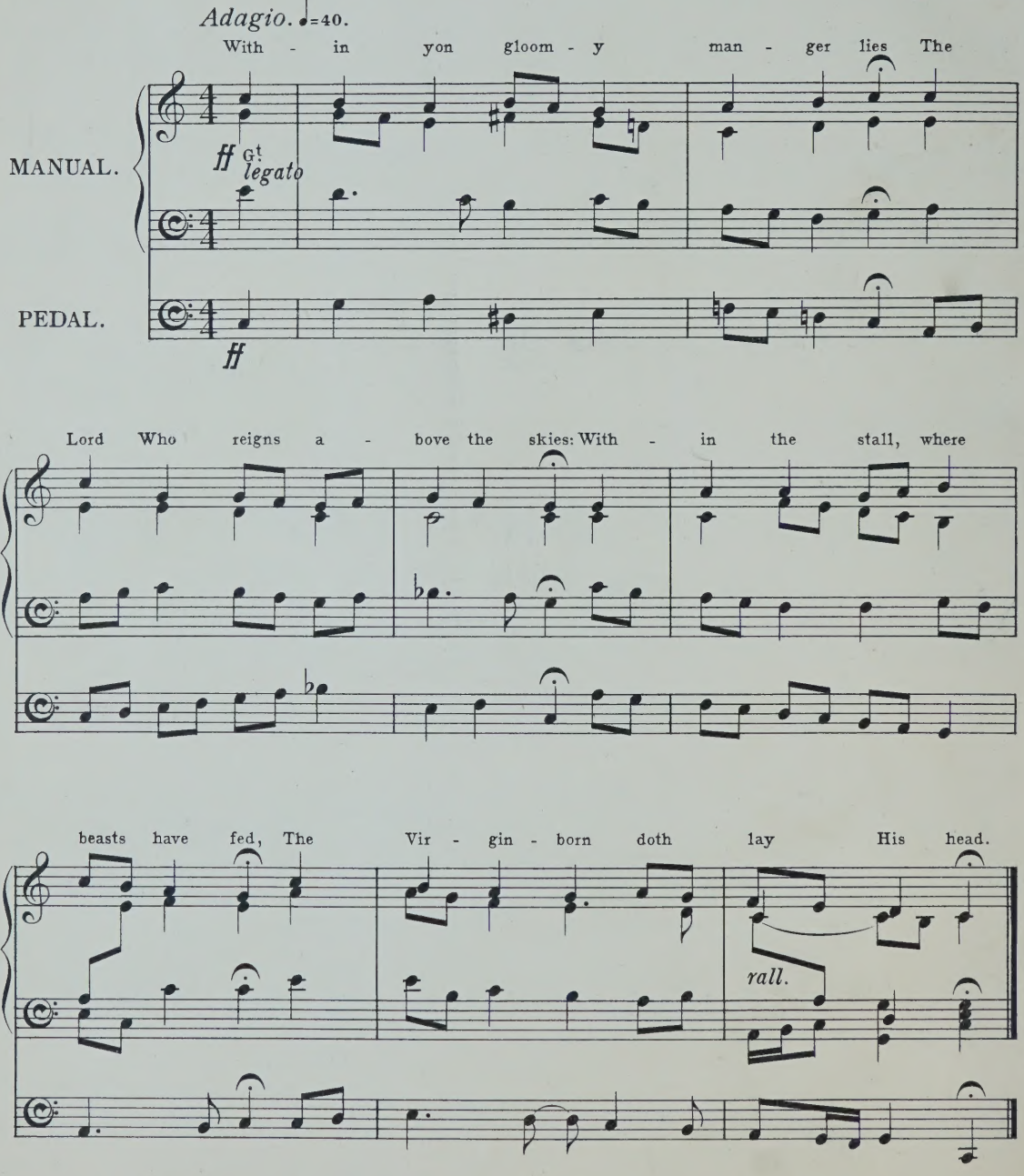

p dim.
riten.
pp
p

Choral

FROM "CHRISTMAS ORATORIO."

(Concluding Voluntary.)

J. S. Bach.



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